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The latest additions to Hackney's list of Green Flag awarded spaces are De Beauvoir Square (above) and Clapton Pond (below)

9 GREEN FLAGS



By
Karyn Michael

HACKNEY'S open spaces have been voted among the best in London, after Keep Britain Tidy – the organisation that aims to improve local parks and open spaces – gave the borough nine awards.

The Green Flag Awards set the national standard for parks and green spaces in England and Wales and encourage high environmental standards.

Seven awards went to local sites that retained Green Flag status: Clissold Park, Hackney Downs, Haggerston Park, Springfield Park, London Fields, St John at Hackney Churchyard Gardens and Shoreditch Park. St John's also kept its status as a Green Heritage Site. New Green Flag Awards went to Clapton Pond and De Beauvoir Square making a total of nine awards for 2009 – the most ever received by the borough.



Only three London boroughs have more Green Flags than Hackney. In addition, Hackney Marshes User Group and East Reservoir Community Garden received a Green Pennant Award, which recognises high quality green spaces managed by voluntary and community groups.

Cllr Nargis Khan, the Council's Cabinet Member for Community Services said:

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Milestone for green spaces


Clissold Park

THE announcement that nine of Hackney's parks have been awarded the nationally recognised Green Flag award is another milestone confirming Hackney as London's greenest borough.

Four years ago we only had one Green Flag park, which is why I made it a manifesto commitment to improve our open spaces so that we could win an extra Green Flag each year. Having now won another eight, I am pleased that the commitment has been achieved twice-over.

But our parks are not the only green aspect to Hackney. Our streets are greener, thanks to the 1,000 street trees that have been planted since 2006, we have the lowest CO2 emissions of any London borough, and – helped along by initiatives such as the Council's cycle-training scheme – more people cycle in Hackney than anywhere else in London.


Shoreditch Park

But the Council can only do so much, the rest relies on Hackney residents to do their bit, so I would like to take this opportunity to thank everyone in the borough that cycles or recycles, everyone who buys Fairtrade goods and everyone who visits our parks and takes their litter home with them. You are all playing your part in confirming Hackney as the greenest borough in London.



Jules Pipe, elected Mayor of Hackney

Good quality care


Key leisure services such as free swimming for the over-60s – also available for under 16s – were among those highlighted. Peter Hilton and his wife Janice (right) have benefited from a direct payment package



By **James Willsher**



SERVICES for residents such as free swimming for the over-60s and a discount card for carers have been commended in a new report from the Government's social care watchdog.

The Care Quality Commission (CQC) visited Hackney's adult care services in April and May, highlighting the Council's leisure centres as playing key roles in preventative care by offering free swimming for the over-60s, also commending an Asian older women's walking group.

The Carers Card, which offers discounts at leisure centres, libraries and local shops, was singled out for special mention, as were training courses for carers.

Among the services praised by the CQC is how the Council works to promote independence by offering older people and their families direct payments for their care packages, to provide greater choice and control.

> **"The individual budget has given us more freedom"**

Hackney resident Peter Hilton suffered a stroke that left him a wheelchair user with speech and other mobility problems. His wife Janice cares for him full time. Janice said that since getting an individual budget their lives have changed for the better: "The individual budget has given us more freedom."

Residents and voluntary sector groups are also helping develop new services at consultation events for the Council's transformation of adult social care programme, the report noted, which will mean more choice and control over the support that social services users receive.

Inspectors also referred to partnership working between the Council and NHS City and Hackney, which has resulted in a £1.2 million memory clinic and dementia care team offering early intervention to prevent further mental health problems.

The report referred to the high priority given to protecting vulnerable adults, with increased staffing resources and training, out-of-hours support, and measures such as an event to help people with learning difficulties stay safe from abuse, and to cut the risk of distraction burglaries and financial abuse for vulnerable residents.

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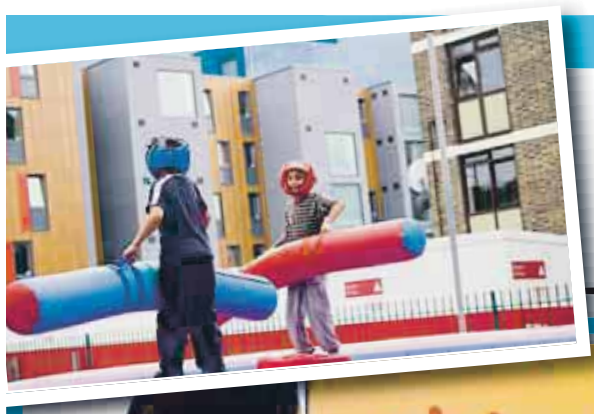
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Summer fun for families on Hackney estates

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Fun close to home



Fun and information at the St Johns Fun Day (top) and at Woodberry Down (above and right)



By **Marcel Reinard**

MORE than 650 residents headed to Fun Days at Woodberry Down and St John's Estates.

As well as showcasing dance performances, arts and recycling activities, and a children's entertainer, the Woodberry Down Fun Day doubled as a project update for regeneration in the area.

Attendees met staff from housing services business, Genesis Housing Group, about the development of the local community-based housing association.

In addition, a football tournament took place and the Ginga de Quilombo Capoeira duo gave a Brazilian martial art capoerira demonstration.

Cllr Karen Alcock, Deputy Mayor of Hackney, said: "Woodberry Down's fun day shows how passionate the community is about their neighbourhood and I'm delighted so many residents came out to meet their neighbours."

At St John's, visitors got a chance to find out about works to be carried out as part of the Decent Home programme, and to have some fun. Vanessa Mahi, a Hackney Homes resident who attended the fun day said: "Today has been lots of fun and I've learned about the future of Hackney from the Olympic stall."

The days were organised by Hackney Homes, which manages the Council's social housing. Rupert Tyson, Chairman of the Hackney Homes Board, said: "We are committed to these days and are glad that Tenants and Residents Associations have worked so closely with us to bring them to their estates this year."

MORE INFO

Fun Days to come: Fellows Ct, 7 Aug; Colville Est, 8 Aug; Somerford and Shacklewell Est, 15 Aug; Regents Est, 22 Aug; Milton Gdns, 23 Aug Visit: **www.hackneyhomes.org.uk**

Raising nine flags for green spaces

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"Four years ago Hackney only had one award for its parks; now we have nine. This demonstrates how far the Council has come in making sure that residents and visitors have access to the welcoming, safe, clean and pleasant areas they deserve.

"Congratulations to all the staff, user groups and local organisations who have worked hard to look after our valuable green spaces."

To be eligible for an award, each park must also submit a five-year plan for continued maintenance and improvement. More local green spaces will be entered in next year's Green Flag Awards.

Hackney has the highest proportion of open space of any inner London borough.

MORE INFO

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For more info on Green Pennants see: **pg12&13**

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NEWS IN BRIEF



Deputy Mayor Cllr Alcock (right) with Louisa Zaky whose block has recently had communal doors installed

Feeling more secure at home

NEW security measures including lighting and safer communal door entry systems have been installed in buildings on Hackney estates.

More than 13,500 homes across the borough have received stronger doors – which have been hailed by the police – while hundreds of door entry systems have been installed. Estate lighting has also been upgraded so they are brighter in darker areas.

Louisa Zaky, a resident of Harman Street estate in Hoxton, said: "The doors have really helped us. You no longer have people coming in and out of the blocks and we feel safe walking into our house."

According to the latest British Crime survey, published by the Home Office in April, there has been close to a 40 per cent drop in crime in the borough over the last five years.

Cllr Alcock, Deputy Mayor of Hackney said: "It is important that we feel safe and protected when at home. That is why we will continue to invest in these vital improvements to our estates. "

Hackney Homes is also offering estate tenants the chance to win £500 cash for paying their rent on time this summer. For more info visit **www.hackneyhomes.org.uk**

Farewell to Henry at 113



Henry on his visit to Clapton earlier this year

CLAPTON-born Henry Allingham, the world's oldest man, First World War veteran, and founder member of the Royal Air Force, passed away on 18 July, aged 113.

His life spanned three centuries and six monarchs, and he is survived by five grandchildren, 12 great-grandchildren, 14 great-great grandchildren and one great-great-great grandchild.

In February he made a final trip to Hackney from his Brighton care home to meet children from Northwold School after they had written to him about a Clapton clean-up campaign.

Tributes have been made across the country, including from the Prime Minister and the Queen, noting Henry's bravery, compassion and even-handedness. Henry had admitted that he was ready for death, saying: "I can't go on any more, I've given all I can."

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Open water

Residents of all ages and abilities took part in a disability open day at Stoke Newington West Reservoir Centre





By **Emma Britton**



RESIDENTS were able to jump in at the deep end and try out new sports at a disability open day.

The activities at Stoke Newington West Reservoir Centre gave local people of all ages the chance to try a range of sports that also included athletics, wheelchair basketball and boccia — a Paralympic sport similar to boules.

A sensory soft play area and arts and crafts added to the fun at the free event on 19 July.

Cllr Guy Nicholson, the Council's Cabinet Member for Regeneration and the 2012 Olympic and Paralympic Games, said: "Hackney disability open days are a fantastic way for residents to enjoy trying different sports and making new friends.

"As Hackney is a host borough for the 2012 Games, the Council hopes we can inspire residents of all abilities to get active and take part in new activities."



> **"Open days are a fantastic way for residents to enjoy trying different sports and making new friends"**

The open days are run three times a year at leisure centres across the borough and are aimed at disabled residents to provide an opportunity for people to try new sports and visit one of Hackney's many leisure centres.

Non-disabled residents are also welcome to attend.

The events are run in partnership between the Council's 2012 Olympic and Paralympic Unit, the borough's leisure managers GLL, The Hackney Ark and the Learning Trust.

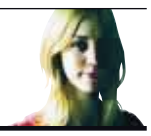
Work on 2012 handball arena starts ahead of schedule

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After the Games

Teenagers pore over a map at the Legacy Now Youth Panel event at Ocean in Mare Street



By **Emma Britton**

A MIX of video and sounds projected onto a 3D model of a new city helped bring to life Hackney young people's vision of the future of the Olympic Park.

The teenagers have been helping to plan the future of the Park site through a dedicated youth panel.

Representatives from each of the five host boroughs for the 2012 Games unveiled their vision for the Park in front of 200 young people at an event at Ocean on Mare Street on 17 July. The 14 to 19-year-olds have met with the masterplanners over the past 10 months to discuss how public buildings and spaces can create communities where people enjoy living and working.

Andre Dias, 17, from Springfield is a Hackney 2012 Youth Ambassador and a member of the Legacy Now Youth Panel.

He said: "We've been trying to give ideas for the future and met with the masterplanners. They've made some changes to the plans and have listened to our ideas. The homes and job opportunities they're planning look good. We've asked for youth centres in each borough and for young people to be able to visit any youth centre."

The panel has helped get 2,500 young people across the five host boroughs interested in the planning process.

> "They've made some changes to the plans and have listened to our ideas"

The Legacy Now Youth Panel was set up by the London Development Agency, working with Stratford-based Fundamental Architecture Inclusion and the five host boroughs.

NEWS IN BRIEF



The Savoy Cafe on Graham Road, E8

Step into a formica past

VISITORS to Hackney Central could find themselves transported back to the 1960s this month.

Every Saturday until 29 August, the Savoy Cafe in Graham Road, E8, will host talks, screenings and shows, including Saint Etienne's series of short films 'Today's Special'.

The café, vacant since the mid 1990s, is a rare example of a vintage, Italian-run formica cafe with its original features intact. It has long been part of Hackney's cultural history and, in the 1960s, actors performing at the Hackney Empire often paid it a visit.

The project is part of the Council's programme of support for town centre businesses, as well as being part of the annual five host borough art festival CREATE09.

Cllr Guy Nicholson, the Council's Cabinet Member for Regeneration and the 2012 Olympic and Paralympic Games, said: "The Savoy Cafe, supported by the Council, celebrates Hackney's creativity and encourages residents and visitors alike to explore and enjoy our town centres."

Find out more and make bookings at: **www.rosiecooper.info/savoycafe**

Hands on as arena build begins

CONSTRUCTION on the 2012 Handball Arena in Hackney Wick has begun two months early.

During the Games, the arena will host qualifying games for the handball competition as well as modern pentathlon fencing and goalball during the Paralympics.

> "The new multi-sports venue is a great opportunity to offer Hackney residents"

It will be transformed into a multi-sports facility for local people after the Games, which will include a health and fitness club with changing facilities and a cafe. In legacy, the arena will host sports such as five-a-side football, netball, boxing, basketball, volleyball, badminton, table tennis and handball.

It could also host a wide range of other sports including wheelchair basketball, fencing, wrestling, wheelchair rugby and table tennis.

The venue could also host elite competitions, with retractable seating for 6,000 spectators.

Mayor of Hackney, Jules Pipe, said: "The new multi-sports venue is a great opportunity to offer Hackney residents access to world-class facilities to take part in a wide range of sports."

Over the coming months, 200 piles will be driven 25 metres into the ground to form the foundations for the venue. It is on track to begin rising out of the ground in the autumn and be completed by summer 2011 ready for test events.

The venue will have an external copper cladding, mostly recycled, that will develop a rich natural colour as it ages. Light pipes in the ceiling will allow sunlight into the venue and rainwater harvesting from the roof for toilet flushing will help to reduce water use by 40 per cent.



An artist's impression of how the arena could look (top) and the Olympic Park site, with the main stadium in the background (above)



New Entrance



Assembly Hall



Council Chamber

Stoke Newington Town Hall

The Council is currently restoring Stoke Newington Town Hall's Assembly Room and Council Chamber to their former glory. The work is being carried out carefully to ensure the preservation of many of the original features of the building, whilst also providing flexible space for a range of uses.

The refurbished areas will provide residents, their friends and families, a great space to celebrate their life events. It will reopen in 2010, offering space for community use, such as older people's clubs, schools' activities, and private hire for parties, clubs, meetings, cultural events, citizenship and naming ceremonies. The venue will also be fully licenced to conduct marriages and civil partnerships.

If granted, the licence will take effect from 1 January 2010. The building will re-open in February 2010. Enquiries and bookings will be taken from September 2009.

The Council recognises that Stoke Newington Town Hall is located in the middle of a residential area. We will only provide permission for those events we consider to be suitable in light of this. In addition, we will be taking many steps to prevent noise, anti social behaviour and unsuitable events.

We will:

- Conduct a risk assessment for all events and ensure that any risks identified are addressed
- Implement several measures to prevent noise and disturbance to neighbouring residents, including a noise limiter
- Put in place robust checks, which will be conducted routinely, in advance of any booking being confirmed
- Check the suitability of the content of events for their intended audiences
- Conduct appropriate checks on people supervising activities at the centre, in particular, with vulnerable people, including children
- Ensure all hirers sign a Letting Agreement, which includes conditions relating to noise and damage
- Require all hirers to leave a noise - damage deposit which will be forfeited if the Letting Agreement is breached
- Restrict consumption of alcohol to certain areas of the building
- Promote public transport and the use of public car parks on Church Street in the publicity materials for the building in order to minimise impact on existing Pay & Display and permit only parking bays.

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Calling all local film-makers and artists to apply for their big chance

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Pictures: Marcel Reinard

Young runners sprint for the finish in Downs Park Road

Racing in the street

By **Nick Rutherford**

FORMER Olympic 100 metre sprinters Linford Christie and Darren Campbell put young athletes from the borough through their paces as they sprinted in the street.

Around 150 young people aged up to 20 turned out to take part in 60-metre sprints in Downs Park Road on 28 July. All participants received a Street Athletics T-Shirt and dog tag.



Now the top three finishers in each age group will compete against youngsters from nine other boroughs in the capital at the Street Athletics London Final at Jubilee Gardens on the South Bank, on 19 September.

The top three from each age group there will then go on to compete against the winners from 10 other cities at a national final in Manchester a week later.

All the events are organised by Street Athletics, a community focused youth programme created by Linford and Darren five years ago. The races in Hackney were supported by the Council and the Peabody Trust. Linford said: "We have seen thousands of young people taking part in races across the country. We're hugely excited about returning to Hackney."

MORE INFO

Visit: **www.street athletics.co.uk**

Looking for art

ARTISTS who live or work in the five host boroughs for the 2012 Games are invited to submit ideas for The annual Bank of America CREATE Art Award.

The award asks artists to deliver an innovative work that gives people in Hackney, Greenwich, Newham, Tower Hamlets and Waltham Forest the chance to get involved with major arts projects. This year's competition saw residents' names written in flowers.

Over 12,000 artists are based in the host boroughs alongside a growing number of creative companies and cultural institutions and arts venues. To celebrate this, and to mark the Cultural Olympiad, the CREATE Art Award was launched last year by the five host boroughs, in association with Arts Council England and the Whitechapel Gallery. Proposals from artists working in all media are welcome and the final piece can be permanent or temporary. A £40,000 commission will be made in October.



Artist Joshua Sofaer designed a flowerbed bearing resident Fatima Roberts' name in Clissold Park, after winning the CREATE09 award

Applications must be received by 5pm on 2 Sept. E-mail: **artaward@host-boroughs.org.uk**; or visit: **www.createlondon.org**

NEWS IN BRIEF



Are you ready for action?

RESIDENTS can follow in the footsteps of local director Alex Taylor who recently won a London-wide film competition.

Alex (pictured above with Bend It Like Beckham director Gurinder Chadha) won a Best of Boroughs award for his short film Kids Might Fly (above left). Now the latest round of applications have opened for a free training programme, the New Pathways Film Fund, offered by Hackney, Newham and Tower Hamlets Councils.

Up to 15 successful applicants will be chosen for this introduction to filmmaking, exploring new techniques, technologies and alternative routes of distribution. They will be invited to pitch their own script to a panel of top industry judges, who will select six from the 15 and award them bursaries of £1,500. The six successful films will premiere at a special gala evening as part of next year's East End Film Festival in April 2010.

Cllr Nargis Khan, the Council's Cabinet Member for Community Services, said: "This tri-borough film fund plays an important role in providing opportunities for local people to develop the skills they need to realise their hopes of working in the film industry."

Residents interested in the training programme have until 7 September to apply. Visit: **www.filmlondon.org.uk/boroughfilmfunds**; for info on the New Pathways Film Fund, visit: **www.hackney.gov.uk/new-pathways-film-fund;** or e-mail: **rebecca.staffolani@hackney.gov.uk**

Your move at museum

A CELEBRATION of games past and present is the theme of a free, interactive exhibition just launched at Hackney Museum. Games Exchange is a chance for people of all ages to come and play games over the summer, learn new tactics, or share gaming skills.

There will be the opportunity to play old favourites such as Dominoes and Chinese Chequers, and learn exciting new ones like Kippit, Katomino and a Hackney-based game called Lost in Time.



To accompany the exhibition, an event will take place at St John at Hackney Churchyard Gardens in Lower Clapton Road, E5, on 8 August from 12-4pm. There will be a chance to play giant Connect Four, as well as lawn games and swingball.

The Games Exchange runs until 21 September, with family sessions on Weds and Thurs afternoons. Hackney Museum is at: **1 Reading Lane, Hackney, E8**; call: **020 8356 3500;** or visit **www.hackney.gov.uk/museum**

feature









Rain can't dampen Shoreditch

Thousands defy bad weather and flock to the newly renovated Shoreditch Park for four days of spectacular music, dance, film, arts, literature and sports



This page, clockwise from above: Ruby Froiend and Joan Farnell brave the rain; Cassya Hamilton during a sunnier period; the Bedouin tent; Pauline Holford; Sekao Sarr; Seun, Victor, and Bruno from the Bigga Bloco Band

By **Marcel Reinard**



IT rained, it shone, it rained again. But fickle skies didn't put a dampener on the annual Shoreditch Festival from 17 to 22 July.

With a programme as varied as the changeable weather beating down on revellers in the newly renovated Shoreditch Park, the free festival – produced by the Shoreditch Trust and supported by the Council – offered an eclectic miscellany of music, dance, film, literature and sport.

More than 1,000 people descended on the park for an opening ceremony on Friday that saw a live proms performance from the Royal Philharmonic Orchestra, alongside students from Haggerston School. The evening was rounded off with a spectacular fireworks display.

Saturday's celebrations saw professional writers gather in a Bedouin tent, including Hackney-based poet and author Joe Dunthorne, who performed new material.

There was also a parade of pooches at the Shoreditch Bark Dog Show, as well as a bonny baby competition, a colourful parade, and a range of live acts and DJs on the main stage.

On Sunday around 500 young people – helped by the Barbican Centre and the Guildhall School –

KEY FACT

The Shoreditch Festival is part of CREATE09, a celebrate of art, culture, and performance in the five Olympic host boroughs

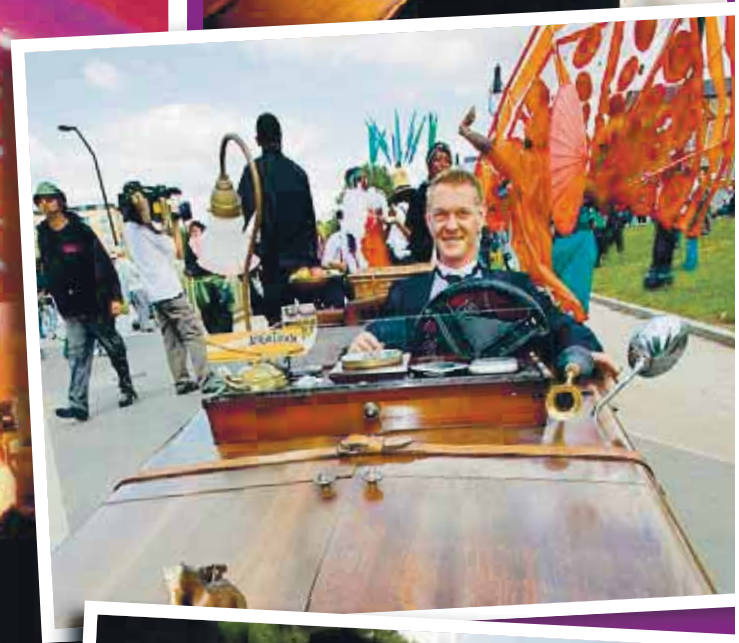


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This page, clockwise from above: The Royal Philharmonic perform on the main stage; an unusual vehicle joins the parade; Danusia Paluch and Vicky Astle in costume; the dog show; the Giant Gardener; the festival programme; Ophelia Robinson Beasley gets a good view from Simon's shoulders

presented artworks throughout the park using film on the amphitheatre, dance, music and workshops.

Bringing the proceedings – which are also part of the five-borough CREATE09 arts festival – to a close, the Shoreditch Games on 22 July saw more than 250 young people battle it out in a range of sports at their own mini-Olympiad.



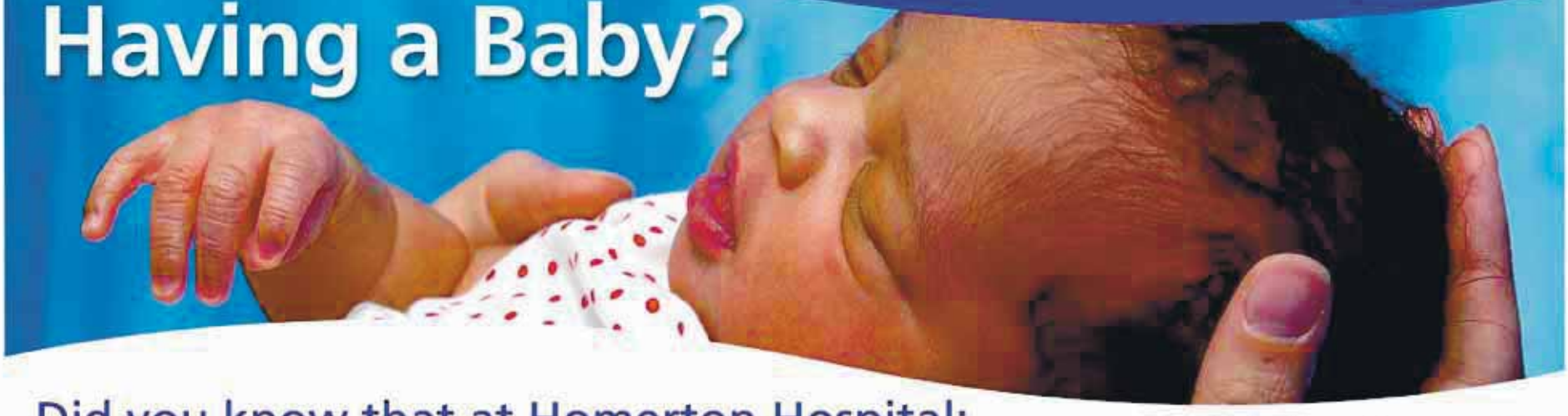






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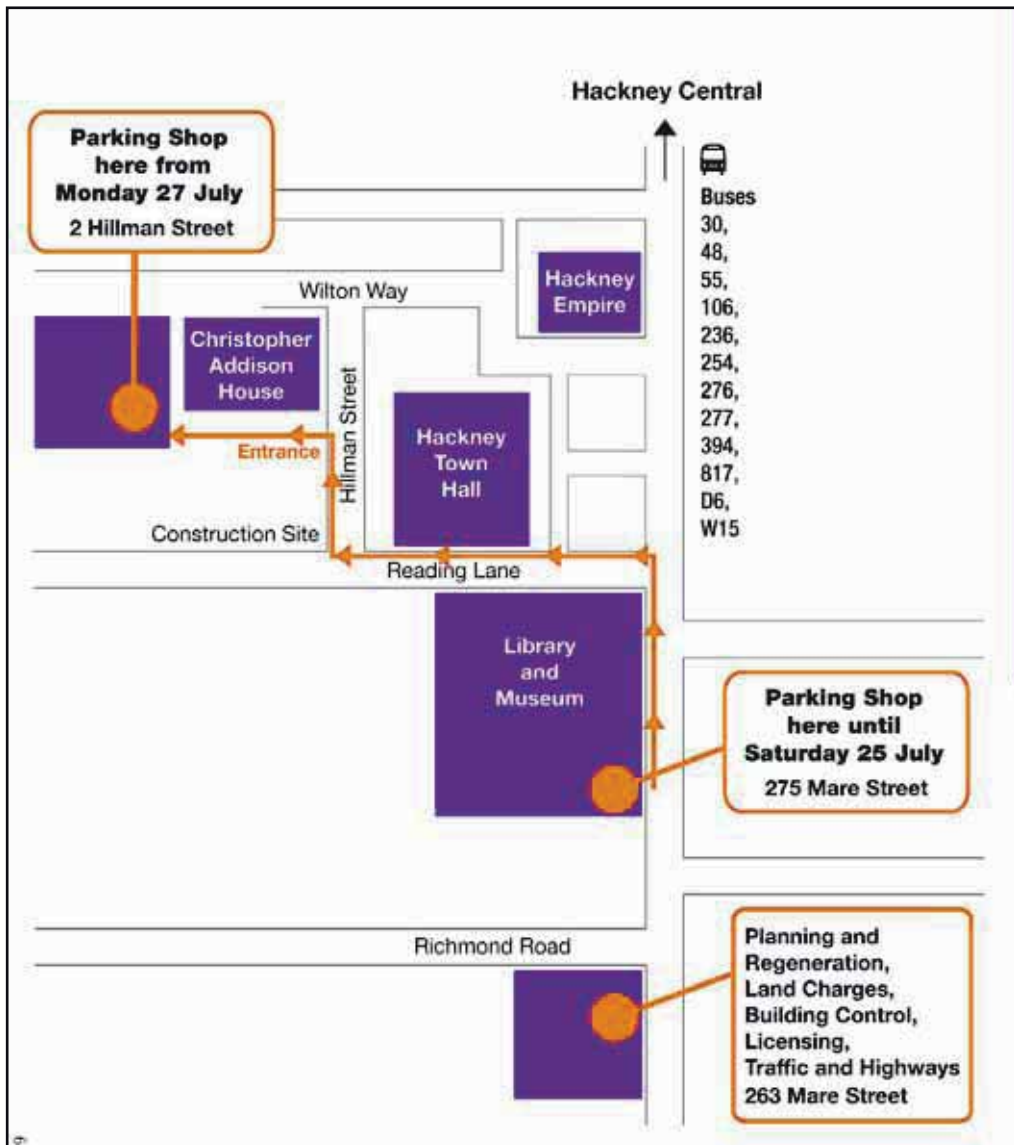
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Back on his beat



By **Nick Rutherford**

FOR Chief Superintendent Steve Bending, being appointed Borough Commander of Hackney Police is bringing him back to an area he knows and loves.

He served here as a sergeant for four years from 1987, before moving on to a number of other roles in the Metropolitan Police – mainly in East London. Most recently, he was Deputy Borough Commander in Tower Hamlets, before coming back to Hackney at the end of last month.

> **"I wanted to see how different Hackney is now from how it was 20 years ago"**

So why did he return? He explains: "I always liked working in the East End. I thought if I was going to become a borough commander I wanted it to be somewhere that was a challenge, but where I could also see there was good partnership work with the local authority and community.

"I was in Hackney for four years and when I left I always wanted to come back if the opportunity presented itself.

"I like working in busy places where the officers are hardworking, always work as a team and try to get results. And I wanted to see how different Hackney is now from how it was 20 years ago."

Although Steve has only been back a short time, he notices 'there is a real willingness to get things done' and that 'people in the community want to make a difference and are prepared to stand up and be counted'.

He says: "What I like about Hackney is that it is a vibrant place with communities from all over the world – people are tolerant about each others' communities and are keen to learn more about them.

"It's got one of the youngest populations in the UK – there are more people aged under 25 here than anywhere else in the country. And it's very vibrant in terms of regeneration – there's been a lot of changes here in the 20 years since I was here with new buildings and development and there are plans for that to continue."

He adds: "For the last five years this borough has had outstanding results in crime reduction and the main aim I have is to maintain that downward trend – that's going to be a real challenge."

Now 47, Steve joined the police in 1982 after 18 months working for the Midland Bank in Ilford. He'd always wanted to be a police officer, like his father John who was a sergeant at Barkingside, but the older man tried to dissuade him.



Picture: Gary Manhine

Chief Superintendent Steve Bending has just been appointed Borough Commander – 20 years after he worked here as a sergeant

"I don't know why," Steve explains. "I think he just wanted me to try a different career."

Within two months of working in the bank he realised he made the wrong choice, so re-applied to the Met Police – he'd already applied before getting the bank job – and was taken on in 1982 as a police constable in Ilford.

The father of two will now be in charge of around 1,000 staff, including 750 police officers, working from Stoke Newington Police Station.

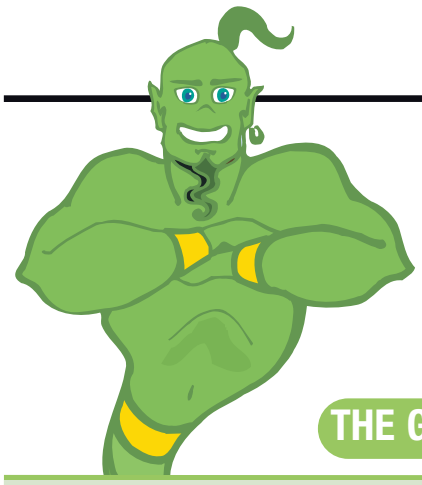
MORE INFO

In an emergency dial: **999.** For news and local station contact details visit: **www.met.police.uk/hackney**

Curriculum Vitae
Steve Bending

1961	Born in London		of Professional Standards	**2006**	Serves in Territorial Policing Crime Squad
1973-80	Attends Beal School, Redbridge	**1997-2002**	Inspector, then detective inspector at Barking and Dagenham	**2007-09**	Acting Borough Commander then Deputy Borough Commander at Tower Hamlets
1980	Works at Midland Bank, Ilford	**2002-04**	Works as Detective Chief Superintendent at the Met's Specialist Crime Directorate		
1982	Joins the Met Police as a constable at Ilford				
1987-91	Is a sergeant in Hackney	**2004-05**	Second stint at Directorate of Professional Standards	**2009**	Takes over as Hackney Borough Commander
1991-97	Employed at Met Directorate				

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All your recycling questions answered

Q. I live in a small block of apartments that currently have no recycling facilities. I have approached our managing agent who has been less than helpful. Can you advise how we can get recycling bins for me and the other residents?

A. The Council is obliged to provide recycling facilities to all estates and flats across the borough to enable residents to recycle as easily as possible. Unfortunately not all landlords or managing agents want facilities to be placed within their developments, despite residents' wishes. This is often because they do not understand how the services operate, the cost involved and what is required from them to make sure they work properly.

Often this just needs explaining to them and a site visit can assess what facilities can be provided.

The recycling service is very simple. Both the bins and weekly collections are undertaken free of charge and all information on how to use the service is provided to residents by the Council.

If you send us the contact details of your managing agent we will liaise with them directly and hopefully, you will soon be able to recycle much closer to home.

MORE INFO

To ask the Genie a question, which will be answered in Hackney Today, e-mail: **recycling@hackney.gov.uk,** or write to: **Green Genie, Recycling, 2nd Floor, 263 Mare Street, E8 3HT**. For more information on recycling in the borough call: **020 8356 6688,** or visit: **www.hackney.gov.uk/recycling**



East Reservoir's (above) Community Garden has been awarded a Green Pennant, along with a scheme run by the Hackney Marshes (right) Users Group



Among the best



By **Marcel Reinard**

TWO green spaces managed by community groups in Hackney have been recognised as among the finest in the UK.

East Reservoir Community Garden, run by London Wildlife Trust, and Hackney Community Tree Nursery and Edible Forest Garden, run by Hackney Marshes User Group, were awarded Green Pennants by the Green Flag Award Scheme.

The pennants recognise high-quality green spaces managed by voluntary and community groups.

Set up in 2000, the Tree Nursery and Edible Forest Garden is a community operation run by volunteers on Hackney Marshes. Trees are grown in the nursery until large enough to be planted in parks and open spaces in the borough.

East Reservoir Community Garden is found under Hackney's oldest oak tree between the New River and East Reservoir and comes equipped with a green roofed eco-community.

Other features include a bird hide, wildlife habitats, mini-nature trails and living willow activities, which are incorporated into its community and educational events.

A spokesperson at East Reservoir said Green Flag was particularly impressed with local residents' participation and creation of activities.

MORE INFO

For more info, visit: **www.wildlondon.org.uk/nature reserves**; and: **www.hackneyenvironment.org.uk/tnfg**

£97k grant for cemetery visitors

ABNEY Park Cemetery is set to receive a £97,000 grant to expand chances for visitors to learn about its natural environment.

The funding comes from the Natural England and the Big Lottery Fund's Access to Nature campaign, a £25 million grant programme to connect communities with their local green spaces.

The cemetery's plans will involve free environmental education, training, craft workshops, nature trails, volunteering, and community involvement.

As well as promoting healthy outdoor activities, it is also hoped the funding will allow residents to gain experience of nature in urban landscapes.

Once a non-denominational Victorian garden cemetery, Abney Park in Stoke Newington is a now a 32-acre wooded local nature reserve and conservation area; it also contains a classroom, visitors' centre and a disused central chapel.

In the 19th century Abney Park was built as one of the 'Magnificent Seven', a cemetery outside the central city created to accommodate the rapid growth of London. For info visit: **www.abney-park.org.uk**



Abney Park Cemetery is to receive £97,000 in funding

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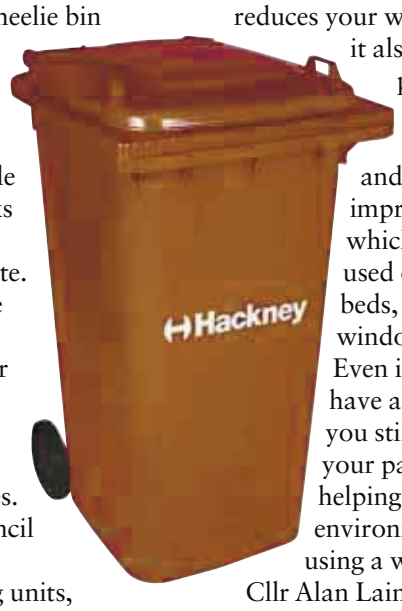
Brown is the new green

By **Gracia Douglas**

IT'S summertime and gardens are flourishing. If you are thinking about tidying up your garden why not use the Council's brown bin scheme to collect garden waste, or try composting at home with our subsidised bins and wormeries.

The brown bin service is a fortnightly collection of garden waste, including leaves, lawn trimmings, hedge cuttings, small branches, plants and flowers, for composting.

It is currently available to around 15,000 properties in Hackney. Residents can have a large 140 litre wheelie bin or a supply of single use 100 litre compostable brown sacks to collect garden waste. This will be turned into compost for use on the borough's parks and green spaces.



The Council also offers composting units, including wormeries, bokashi bins and wooden compost bins, at reduced prices from as little as £9 each, including delivery.

Composting not only reduces your waste bin, it also produces a free fertiliser and soil improver which can be used on flower beds, plots, and window boxes.

Even if you only have a patio, you still can play your part in helping the environment by using a wormery.

Cllr Alan Laing, the Council's Cabinet Member for Neighbourhoods, said: "By recycling or composting your garden waste, instead of just throwing it away, you can help to reduce the amount of biodegradable materials that enter the waste stream, and do your bit to help make Hackney a greener borough."

> "Do your bit to make Hackney a greener borough"

Brown bins are available to residents on roads currently covered by the scheme. However, the service is continually expanding and new roads can be added, subject to assessment and approval.



MORE INFO

To find out more about having the brown bin service in your street, call: **020 8356 6688** or email: **recycling@hackney.gov.uk**
For more information about home composting visit: **www.hackney.gov.uk/waste_prevention**

Farewell to Prue

PRUE Poulton, co-ordinator at local environmental educational service ecoActive, has passed away, aged 61, after a short illness.

Prue had worked in environmental education in the borough for 30 years, the last five were as an ecoActive member of staff.

A spokesperson from the charity said: "Prue was very driven and had clear visions about how she viewed environmental education and sustainable development. She was equally incredibly interested in understanding people's values."

Prue is survived by three sons and three sisters.

Recycling on your estate or high rise



New larger recycling bins have been placed on your estate. These bins are located near entrances, exits, or by refuse bins. Some estates have a separate bin for paper recycling. Your new onsite recycling facilities accept the following materials:



What materials can be recycled?

Yes please

- Paper (separately on most estates)
- Tins and cans
- Mixed glass bottles and jars
- Plastic bottles
- Cardboard

No thank you

- Yoghurt pots
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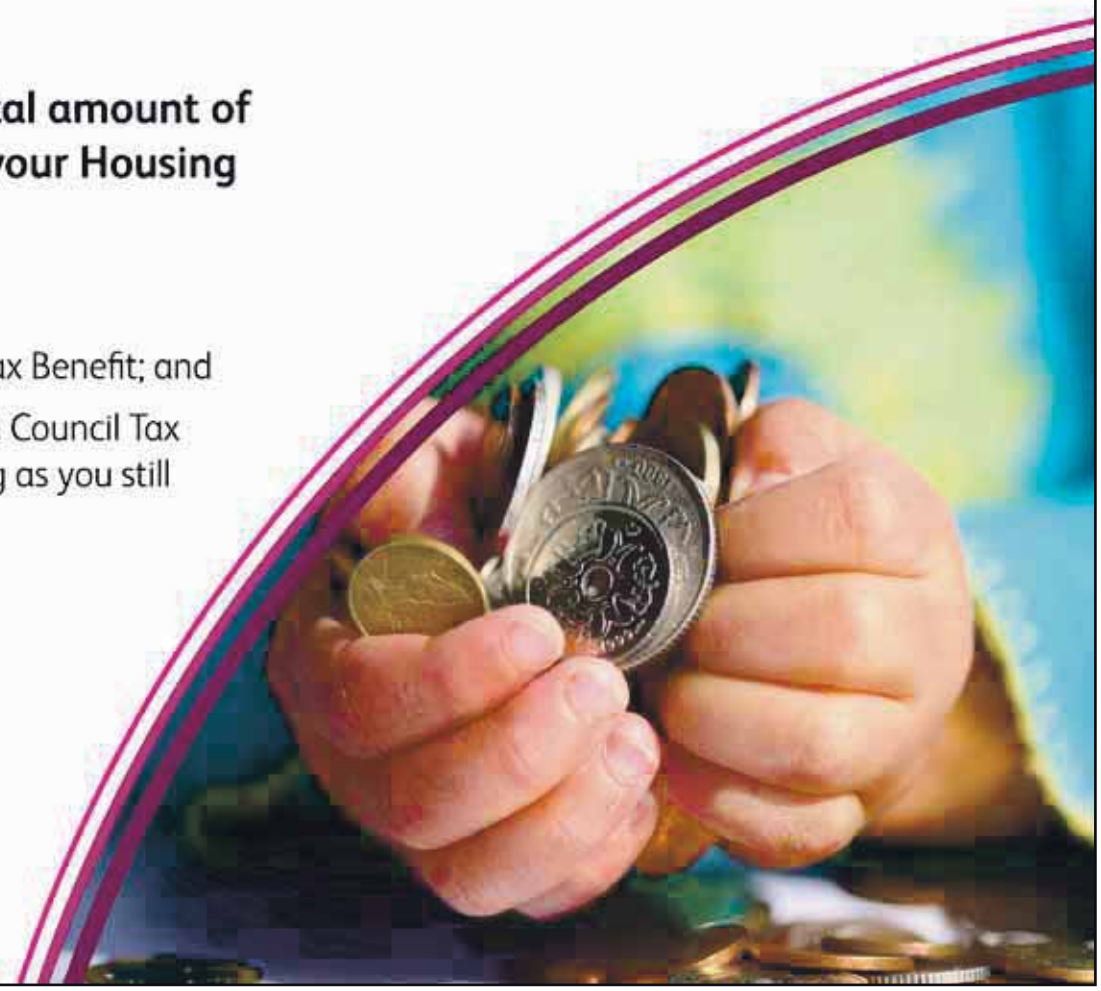
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This will mean:

- you could receive more Housing Benefit and Council Tax Benefit; and
- if you previously didn't qualify for Housing Benefit and Council Tax Benefit, you may qualify from November 2009, as long as you still receive Child Benefit.



To find out more and to see if you are eligible, contact our benefits service
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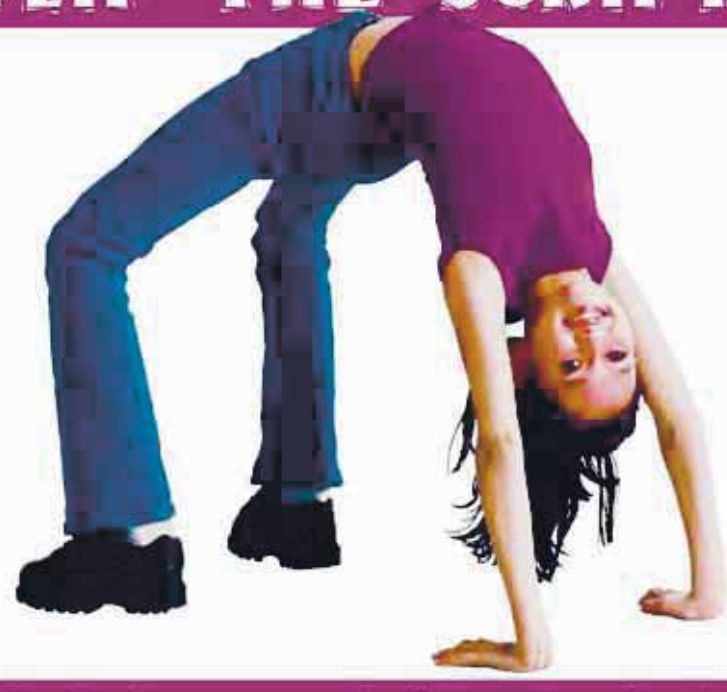
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Art goes back to the drawing board

Large replicas of artwork displayed by Hackney Wick towpath (above) have been presented back to schools that designed them, including Cardinal Pole (below)



All stories by **Marcel Reinard**

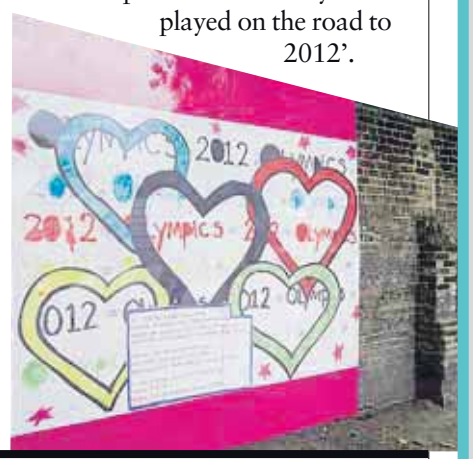
LARGE scale replicas of artwork panels that were displayed on Hackney Wick towpath hoardings next to the Olympic Park have been presented back to their artists – pupils from Hackney schools.

As part of a project run by the Olympic Delivery Authority (ODA) last year, 17 schools in the five Olympic host boroughs including Ickburgh Special School, E5, Downsview Special School, E5, William Patten Primary, N16, and Cardinal Pole RC Secondary, E9, were asked to show their artistic talent in model-making, photography, collage, creative writing, footprints and wheelchair tracks on canvas.

The programme was created to highlight the children's pride in their community as well as their interest and involvement in the London 2012 Games, with the hoardings unveiled at a Hackney Wick Community Centre event in June last year.

Each of the 17 schools has been presented with at least two panels displaying a picture, a description of the artwork, and a photograph of the children involved.

Although the hoardings were moved inside the construction site earlier this summer to allow for the Park's development, ODA chief executive David Higgins said the copies transported to the various schools will give the young people involved a 'permanent reminder of the inspirational role they played on the road to 2012'.



Fire crews fight blaze at school



The school smouldering after the fire on 30 July

AROUND 100 firefighters and 20 fire engines tackled a severe blaze at Thomas Fairchild Community School in Napier Grove on 30 July.

The school's three floors, including its basement and roof, were damaged during the fire.

Fire crews from Kingsland, Stoke Newington, Shoreditch, Shadwell, Bow, Islington, Clerkenwell and Euston fire stations were all called in to deal with the incident, which lasted more than seven hours. The cause of the blaze is under investigation. Shona Ferguson, head teacher at Thomas Fairchild, said: "My colleagues and I are devastated by the damage caused to our school and are relieved no-one was injured.

"We've been overwhelmed by the generous support received from parents and the local community and would like to thank them and, of course, the London Fire Brigade. Our priority is to place the needs of our pupils first and we are now in the process of developing a plan to ensure the minimum, if any, disruption is caused to their schooling."

MORE INFO

Call the Learning Trust on: **020 8820 7000**; visit: **www.thomasfairchild.hackney.sch.uk**; or: **www.learningtrust.co.uk**

NEWS IN BRIEF

Teamwork adds up to winning



THREE pupils from St John and St James Primary, E9, have come first at an annual end of term, multi-school maths contest organised by The Learning Trust.

Joshea, Nathan and Jenine (pictured) beat 30 other teams at the Hackney Primary Schools' Mathematics Competition at Sebright Primary, E2, last month. St John and St James Primary received a plaque recognising the trio's achievement and each team member was awarded a laptop.

The young number crunchers faced rigorous arithmetic trials to test their skills as individual problem solvers as well as their ability to work as part of a team.

Brief introduction to law

A SCHEME to raise awareness of career opportunities in the City for young people has seen Clapton Girls School pupils cut their teeth in the City's legal sector.

The students, along with schools from other boroughs surrounding the City of London, met employees of EC2 law firm Linklaters to hear about working in the square mile.

With some legal professions needing at least five years higher education, plus two years on-the-job training, the group was encouraged to plan as early as GCSE selection in Year 9. However, a range of careers was profiled on the day ranging from graduate positions to some not requiring post-16 academic study.

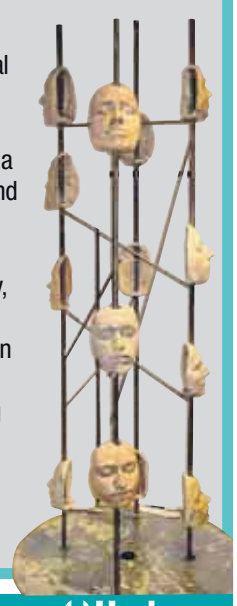
The visit was part of the City Careers Open House programme – an initiative to give young people aged 12-14 years old experience of City working life – delivered by education business partnerships (EBP), led by Hackney's EBP Inspire! and funded by the City of London Corporation.

Exhibition is towering success

STUDENTS from Hackney Community College (HCC) saw their artwork exhibited at the Institute of International Visual Artists (INIVA) last month.

Film, installations, costumes that mapped Muslim women's identity and a tower that used sound, welded steel and ceramic faces to create a 3D figure of the artist's friends (pictured) were all displayed in the Rivington Place gallery, EC1. Artwork was taken from students on the level-three diploma in foundation studies, art and design.

The project was part of INIVA's ongoing Mapping initiative, which has seen professional artists run intensive workshops in six schools and colleges throughout Hackney.



JOIN US FOR HACKNEY PEACE WALK 2009

SATURDAY 19 SEPTEMBER



Team Hackney
Putting Hackney First

Meet at Hackney Community College – Shoreditch Campus, Falkirk Street N1 at 11am for 11.30am start and walk to London Fields, E8 arriving at 1pm. Speeches, stalls, music and refreshments 1pm – 2pm.

Show your commitment to promoting peace, harmony and unity in Hackney by joining the Hackney Peace Walk.

You are warmly invited to unite with other residents and community leaders, including the Mayor and Speaker of Hackney to make a stand for, and celebrate, peace in our community.

There will be music and good company along the way and a warm welcome and refreshments plus the best of local talent in London Fields.

An event showcasing the best of young Hackney talent will take place at Hackney Empire from 2pm. This is being run by the Robert Levy Foundation, for more information please call 0870 626 0709 or email info@robertlevyfoundation.org

Anyone can join the Walk. Organisations who wish to take part as a group can book their place by emailing michelle.flood@hackney.gov.uk or by calling Michelle Flood on 020 8356 3334.

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what's on

TOP FIVE

There's so much to do in and around Hackney. From theatre to club nights, art exhibitions to community events. Here's our pick of what's on this fortnight:

SHOOT SHOREDITCH

An exhibition of photographs taken during a treasure hunt in the borough

▸ See Art & Exhibitions

BRIT FLICKS @ THE BRITANNIA

Pub's garden is turned into a free al fresco cinema showing avant garde and classic movies

▸ See Cinema

LONDON TO SOUTHEND BIKE RIDE

All 59 miles from capital to coast in the saddle

▸ See Health, Fitness and Sport

STEPHANIE O'BRIEN

The Puppini Sister showcases tracks from her new solo album

▸ See Nightlife

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▸ See Theatre and Live Entertainment

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Nothing leftfield to the imagination



REVIEW

By **Marcel Reinard**

FOR those with music tastes so leftfield they're telling Kraftwerk to be more experimental, the 1-2-3-4 Shoreditch Festival was the perfect way to lend an ear to alternative, and often locally produced sounds.

The cheap as – gourmet – chips tickets (£15) were excellent value for the 6,000 attendees whooping it up to more than 50 acts and DJs including The Rakes, the excellent value 'folktronica' pioneers Crystal Fighters, Lovefoxxx from CSS as well as regular Dalston party organisers Disco Bloodbath.

And if the compositions of Patrick Wolf weren't enough to send everyone stumbling into the Sunday evening in a spell of giddiness, the separate 20-strong karaoke tent rendition of Michael Jackson's Man In The Mirror – complete with key changes – most definitely was.

also in what's on









SHOOT SHOREDITCH PHOTOGRAPHY EXHIBITION

Until 23 August, 12-11pm. An exhibition of the images from the Shoot Shoreditch treasure hunt: as the treasure hunt focused on encouraging fun and creative photography, the images will represent a unique collection.
83 Rivington St, EC2A.
Info: 020 70333 555;
www.shootexperience.com/events

NATURAL AND HONEST

7-28 Aug, 7-9pm. Local photographer and artist Rhea Daley-Serieux exhibits her inspiring and edgy work of London revealing its natural beauty. The Book Box, 53 Chatsworth Rd, E5. **Info:**
rdaleyserieux@yahoo.co.uk

BETTINA VON ZWEHL: PROFILES III

7 Aug-25 Oct, 10am-5.45pm. Free exhibition of photographs featuring one-year-old babies captured in instances of alertness and total concentration. Depicted in profile and exhibited three times larger than their real counterparts. V&A Museum of Childhood, Cambridge Heath Rd, E2. **Info: 020 8983 5200;**
moc@vam.ac.uk;
www.museumofchildhood.org.uk


Bettina Von Zwehl: Profiles III



ODEON

G-Force 3D (PG); Ice Age 3: Dawn of the Dinosaurs (U); Bruno (18); Bruno: Snipped (15); Harry Potter and the Half Blood Prince (12A); Land of the Lost (12A); My Sister's Keeper (12A); Public Enemies (15); The Hangover (15); The Proposal (12A); The Taking of Pelham 123 (15); Transformers: Revenge of the Fallen (12A); Odeon Lee Valley, Picketts Lock Lane, N9. **Info:**
www.odeon.co.uk

RIO

Night at the Museum 2 (PG); Coco Before Chanel (12A). Rio Cinema, 107 Kingsland High St, E8. **Info: 020 7241 9410;**
mail@riocinema.org.uk;
www.riocinema.org.uk

RICH MIX

Harry Potter and the Half Blood Prince (12A); Antichrist (18); Bruno (18); Coco Before Chanel (12A); Bolt (U). Rich Mix, 35-47 Bethnal Green Rd, E1. **Info: 020 7613 7498;**
www.richmix.org.uk

VUE

Bruno (18); Bruno: Snipped (15); Anitchrist (18); Coco Before Chanel (12A); G.I. Joe: The Rise of Cobra (12A); G-Force 3D (PG); Harry Potter and the Half Blood Prince (12A); Ice Age 3D: Dawn of the Dinosaurs (U); Land of the Lost (12A); Moon (15); Night at the Museum 2 (PG); Public Enemies (15); The Taking of Pelham 123 (15); The Ugly Truth (15); Transformers: Revenge of the Fallen (12A). Vue, 36 Parkfield St, N1. **Info: 08712 240 240;**
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Every Thurs, 9pm-12am. London's new film-going experience will display avant garde films, popular classics, guest curators and an outdoor cinema in the heart of Victoria Park. This free season of events will see the venue's back garden space transformed into an al fresco moonlit cinema complete with a 26x15ft screen. Free. The Britannia, 360 Victoria Park Rd, E9. **Info: 020 8533 0040;**
theoffice@thebritannia.co.uk; www.thebritanniapub.co.uk


Audrey Tatou stars in Coco Before Chanel



MULTI-ARTS WORKSHOP SERIES

3-14 Aug, 10am-4pm. Guitar, singing, drumming, film and drama. Umbrella Music School, 2 Greenleaf Rd, E17. **Info: 0845 500 3232;** **musicschool@umbrellamusic.co.uk;**
www.umbrellamusic.co.uk

THE BUSINESS OF THE ARTS

29 Aug, 2-4.30pm. An informative step-by-step seminar that will show exactly how to manage your business as an artist, and make regular amounts of money from initial set-up until the end of your career. 3 Bradbury St, N16.
Info: 020 7923 7658;
enquiries@blackwomenart.org.uk; www.blackwomenart.org.uk

ACTING CLASSES

Every Tues, 6-8pm. Come and join acting classes for adults, run by an industry professional (Equity & CRB), for professional actors or those just wanting to build confidence. 14yrs+. Homerton Library, Homerton High St, E9. **Info: 07906 261 827; etiproductions@live.co.uk**


Hackney Drum Circle

HACKNEY DRUM CIRCLE

Every Sun, 12-2pm. Rediscover your rhythm in our welcoming and informal recreational drum circle. Relax and play with Arabic, African, South American and Indian rhythms. St John-at-Hackney Church, Lower Clapton Rd, E5. £5/£3. **Info: 07811 399 235;**
heartofhackney@googlemail.com; www.heartofhackney.com

NEW CERAMIC CAFE-STUDIO 53

Tues-Sun, 10am-6pm. The Book Box is opening its Ceramic Art Cafe Studio 53 for people to get in touch with the artist within and create unique pieces of pottery. The Book Box, 53 Chatsworth Rd, E5. Costs vary. **Info: 020 8525 5664;**
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20 Jul-30 Aug. Mixture of sports coaching courses including sports leadership junior football organisation and basketball. Hackney Wick Community Centre, 80 Eastway Hackney, E9. Pre-booking necessary. **Info: 020 7686 8812; www.accesstosports.org.uk; access2sports@aquaterra.org**



LONDON TO SOUTHEND BIKE RIDE

30 Aug, 9.40am-3.30pm. A supported 59-mile ride through the quiet lanes of South Essex to Southend. £15 registration fee includes lunch. 15yrs+. Ride departs from Victoria Park. **Info: 020 7502 7252; office@redspokes.co.uk; www.redspokes.co.uk**

DANCE AND FITNESS PASS

Until 31 Aug, 7am-9pm. Throughout August, sign up to an All You Can Move Pass at Frame in Shoreditch for unlimited dance, aerobics, indoor cycling and fitness classes for £70. The offer is valid for one calendar month from the time you sign up. Classes also include commercial hip hop, ballet workout and 'boxercise'. More than six classes to choose from daily. 18yrs+. 29 New Inn Yard, EC2A. **Info: 020 7033 1855;**
team@moveyourframe.com; www.moveyourframe.com

FREE FITNESS CLASSES IN THE PARK

Until 31 Aug. Fitness class in the park. 16yrs+. London Fields Park, near Broadway Market, E8. **Info: 07957 794 661;**
fitness_petite@yahoo.co.uk

EMPOWER GYM PROGRAMME

Until 27 Oct, 6.30am-10pm. Six-week gym programme sessions with access to a personal trainer, unlimited use of facilities and classes included. Energie Fitness, 3 Reading Lane, E8. 16yrs+. 1-4 Reading Lane, E8. **Info: 020 8986 6206; hackney@energie-club.co.uk;**
www.myenergieclub.com/hackney

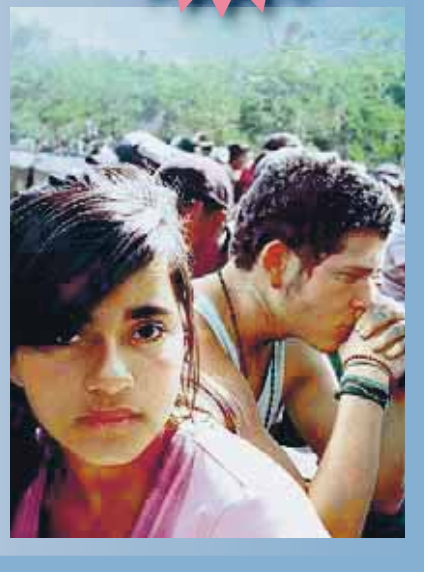

Cycle to Southend

Competition

Win tickets to Rio Cinema

WIN!! Cinema tickets

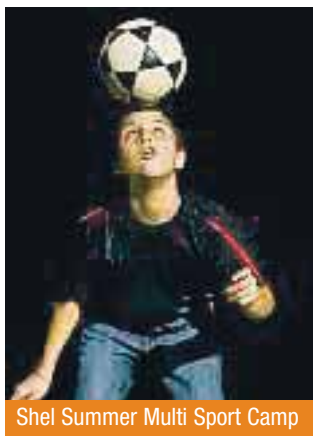
SIN Nombre (Without Name) is a remarkable film highlighting the incredible hardships faced by illegal immigrants trying to cross the Mexico/US border. It is told through the eyes of Sayra, a young immigrant fleeing Honduras on the roofs of the trains heading north, and Willy, a young gang member and robber.
It opens at the Rio Cinema, E8 , on 14 August.
Hackney Today has two tickets to see the film, plus a copy of the soundtrack and a poster signed by the director to give away. Send a postcard to the Rio Cinema Competition, Hackney Today, Communications, Hackney Town Hall, Mare Street, E8 1EA or e-mail: htnews@hackney. gov.uk by 12 noon on 14 August. Winners will be picked out of a hat.





SHEL SUMMER MULTI SPORT CAMP

3-14 Aug, 10am-3pm. A range of sports throughout the two-week camp, ranging from football to street dance. Information on health, education and life issues as well as prizes and trophies. All abilities; £45 for two weeks; limited places. 8-12yrs. Space, Falkirk St, N1. **Info: 020 8257 6816;** info@generalworldsports.com; www.generalworldsports.com


Shel Summer Multi Sport Camp

ACT @ ATC

3-14 Aug The Actors Touring Company, a theatre company based in Hackney and Tower Hamlets, is holding a two-week acting course this summer for 14-25 year olds based in East London. The Tab Centre, 3 Godfrey Place, E2. **Info: 020 7033 7360;** gemma@atctheatre.com; www.atctheatre.com

TWO FREE DAYS OF FILM SCREENINGS

16-17 Aug, 2-6pm. The Vault project will take over the Brady Arts Centre to host two free days of film screenings, workshops and information on how to break into the film industry. All young people from across the five Olympic boroughs are welcome to attend and will receive a goody bag, along with the opportunity to win their own top-of-the-range video camera. 14-19yrs. Brady Arts Centre, 192-196 Hanbury St, E1. **Info: 020 7364 7917;** film@eastendfilmfestival.com; www.thevaultproject.com

GROWING UP IN HACKNEY

Until 8 Sept, 6pm-10pm. EWAV Works is producing a documentary about grime, hip-hop, animation and film in the Dalston, Clapton and Homerton areas and is looking for people aged 14-21yrs interested in working on this. Metropolitan Business Centre, Enfield Rd, N1. **Info: 07883 031 115;** lola@ewavworks.com; www.ewavworks.com



UPSET THE RHYTHM PRESENTS

4 Aug, 8pm. Crocodiles, Jelas and Colours are the bands on offer at the Stoke Newington eclectic gig venue. Bardens Boudoir, 36 Stoke Newington Rd, N16. Advance tickets, £6. **Info:** www.bardensboudoir.co.uk

LIVING IN A DISCO

7 Aug, 10pm-3am. Last seen gleefully sweating under UV at the Land of Kings festival, Living In A Disco returns to Dreams for the next in its series of Dalston monthly parties. Dreams, 95 Kingsland High St, London, E8. **Info:** www.myspace.com/livinginadisco


Vintage 45s at Love Me Do

LOVE ME DO

7 Aug, 10pm-4am. Shake and shimmy to crackling 1960s soul and beat 45s in Love Me Do's new home on Kingsland Road. On the Rocks, 25 Kingsland Rd, E2. £5. **Info:** www.myspace.com/onthecksnightclub

BACK OF THE Q

8 Aug, 9pm-5am. Expect dubstep, fidget and bassline in the basement every month. This month sees Deadhead DJs take over, fresh from Glastonbury. Upstairs is Dexplicit and guest MCs Ears and P Money. £7. The Russian Bar, 267 Kingsland Rd, E2. **Info:** www.myspace.com/topniceclub

VINTAGE BRAZIL SAMBA NIGHT

12 Aug, 8pm. Mônica Vasconcelos and Vintage Brazil continue their dance evenings at the Vortex. Inspired by her teenage years back in São Paulo, Mônica has put together her own select group of master musicians from Brazil, England and Uruguay to play vintage Brazilian classics and some originals. There will be a dance class (included in the ticket price) with two teachers to show you the moves. Dance class starts at 8.00pm; music, 9.15pm. £15. Vortex Jazz Bar, 11 Gillett Sq, N16. **Info: 020 7254 4097;** www.vortexjazzbar.co.uk

STEPHANIE O'BRIEN - LIVE

14 Aug 8.30pm-3am. Puppini Sisters' very own Steph debuts new solo material - Bacharach style with glints of folk and jazz. The only band in the UK to fully dedicate themselves to the New Orleans sound, The Coalminers have already built up a rep off the back of their super-tight sets of authentic Swamp Soul. Pangea Project, 72 Stamford Hill, N16. £5. **Info:** www.pangeoproject.co.uk



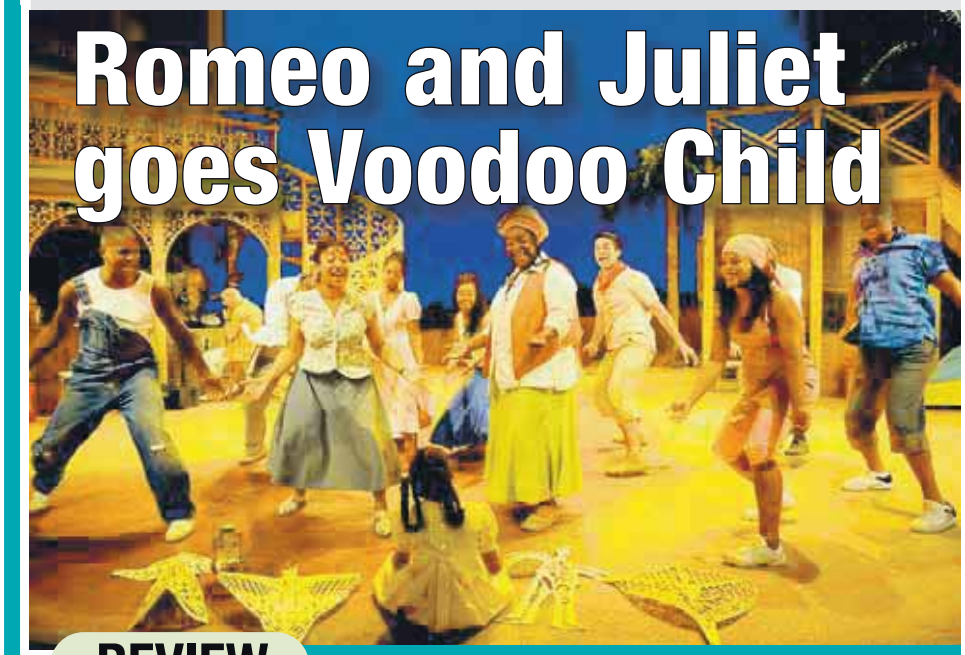
MOTHER INDIA - MI21

15 Aug, 9-11pm. MI21 is a dynamic, live audiovisual project to re-score and re-visualise the groundbreaking tour-de-force of Indian cinematic history, Mother India. Performance followed by a panel discussion; afterwards a live DJ set by turntablist Tigerstyle. 35-47 Bethnal Green Rd, E1. £10/£8. **Info: 020 7613 7498;** info@richmix.org.uk; www.viewlondon.co.uk/rich-mix-tickets.aspx

SPITALFIELDS OUTDOOR LUNCHTIME SERIES

21 Aug, 12.30-1.30pm. Amelia Robinson, a celebrated composer and singer songwriter, will perform live with her ukulele. Spitalfields Market, under the canopy, Bishops Square, E1. **Info:** mail@ameliarobinson.co.uk; www.ameliarobinson.co.uk


Amelia Robinson will perform at Spitalfields Market



Romeo and Juliet goes Voodoo Child

REVIEW

The setting for Once On This Island is a Caribbean beach front

By **David Roberts**

LET me explain my default position: I don't like musicals. I'm allergic to Cats, have an Evita aversion and would gladly miss Les Mis. However, determined to confront my demons, I took my seat for Once On This Island (directly behind Hackney legend Clive Rowe as it happens).

Once On This Island is a re-working of The Little Mermaid, and the set was struck imaginatively as a beach front on a Caribbean island, complete with shrimping nets and palm trees.

The show opened with the cast members in casual conversation on the beach, before several off them sidled off to take their place as the musical ensemble – a clever ruse which lent the show an informality and inclusiveness that extended to the audience.

The show is a love story, with elements of Romeo and Juliet and Voodoo mythology added to the mix. The central character, Ti Moune is a peasant orphan rescued after a violent storm by a kindly couple who adopt her. Engineered by the capricious gods, Ti Moune rescues a handsome Creole planter from a car crash and nurses him back to health. In the best traditions of storytelling, they fall in love despite the differences in their backgrounds. But this being theatre, their love is doomed and poor Ti Moune is fated to die so that her lover can live.

Shyko Amos who played Ti Moune gave a compelling and endearing performance fizzing with energy, ably supported by a slick and engaging cast. Special mention should be made to a barnstorming turn by Sharon D Clarke as Asaka, and Jo Servi as Papa Ge was brilliantly comic and demonic.

So, despite my misgivings, I really enjoyed this show. But I won't be sending Baron Lloyd-Webber a Christmas card just yet.

Once On This Island is at Hackney Empire until 16 August. For tickets, call: 020 8985 2424; or visit: www.hackneyempire.co.uk



BAT WALK ON HACKNEY MARSHES

7 Aug, 8-10pm. Detectors will convert ultrasounds to an audible frequency to locate bats and detectors can also identify the species being heard. Children must be accompanied by an adult. No booking required. Hackney Tree Nursery, next to the Hackney Marshes car park, E9. Free. **Info:** annie.chipchase@gmail.com; www.hackneyenvironment.org.uk/hm

BOOT SALE

8 Aug, 10am-6pm. Bring and buy sale, pitches available. 80 Eastway, E9. **Info: 020 8533 4464;** lesfev@aol.co.uk; www.theacademyofsporteastlondon.co.uk

GAMES EXCHANGE

8 Aug, 12-4pm. Play your favourite board games, teach others and learn new ones at this fun family day on the front lawn of St John at Hackney Church. Try out your personal

Don't miss our next issue out on 24 August

DON'T MISS



Picture: Tom Bunning

Long live the king

REVIEW

The Black Slates (above) will be performing at the festival

By **Louise Hudson**

WITH a first rate line-up, Victoria Park's Lovebox 2009 on 18 and 19 July was set to be as fabulous as all its previous years.

The party started early on Saturday afternoon with punters soaking up the sun and margaritas at the Cuervo Street Festival and the Rizla stage (later to be home to the biggest queues at the festival) already pumping out the tunes.

The main stage was initially all about the boys, with cherub-faced Tommy Reilly and Chipmunk living up to their hype. Florence And The Machine were stunning and sexy, while Dan Black provided a more upbeat alternative over at the Gaymers' stage.

The party people meanwhile made their way to the fantastic Double Disco tent, joint home of Horsemeat Disco and Dalston's own Disco Bloodbath. Headliners Duran Duran were incredible, dishing out a rapturous combination of new tunes and old crowd pleasers, including Rio and A View To A Kill with special guest Mark Ronson.

Saturday was a hard act to follow, but the Lovebox party continued in splendid fashion on Sunday. The Rizla stage was packed from the start with hip hop karaoke, while those seeking something a little more sedate headed to the main stage for Rokia Traore, who provided a perfect world festival atmosphere for the first few beers of the day.

Next up was Ladyhawke, perhaps the most humble girl in pop, with a fantastic performance of 80's pastiche.

Doves proved again that they deserve the accolades and their old classics went down a storm. But the best part of the day was, of course, Groove Armada, joined by guest vocalist Elly Jackson from La Roux, looking amazing in lycra. The headliners whipped the crowd into a party frenzy, climaxing with the formidable Superstylin'. Lovebox remains the reigning king of the London festivals.



Bat walk on Hackney marshes

best at lawn games and swingball with the 2012 team. Don't forget to bring a picnic. St John at Hackney Churchyard Gardens, Lower Clapton Rd, E5. **Info: 020 8356 2590;** emily.jost@hackney.gov.uk

INVERTEBRATE SURVEY

8 Aug, 11am-3pm. Invertebrate survey of Wick Woodland plus instruction on survey techniques led by Neil Anderson, dragonfly and damselfly recorder at the London Natural History Society. Meet at the Tree Nursery by the car park on Hackney Marsh. 16yrs+. Community Tree Nursery, Homerton Rd, E9. **Info: 07773 553 623;** annie.chipchase@gmail.com ; www.hackneyenvironment.org.uk/hm

JUMBLE SALE

15 Aug, 1pm. Plenty of bargains, a tombola and refreshments. Trowbridge Senior Citizen Club, 15 Lavington Cl, E9. 30p/10p. **Info: 020 8533 0287.**

SHARP FETE SUSTAINABLE BAZAAR

19 Aug, 10-4pm. Fun day for families to raise money for The Sharp End's fourth annual Christmas Day dinner for isolated older people. Eco-activity, food, drinks, cakes and plant sale from St Mary's Secret Garden and plenty of fun and space to run around. Dalston Methodist Centre, 11 Richmond Rd, E8. **Info: 020 7923 8690;** nazmun-khanam@thesharpend.org.uk; www.thesharpend.org.uk

GRAND JUMBLE SALE

22 Aug, 11am-3pm. Grand jumble sale with everything from quality clothes to good bric-a-brac at cheap and cheerful prices. George Padmore House, 110 Brougham Rd, E8. **Info: 07908 275 337;** pvjspiller@googlemail.com

CARIBBEAN REMINISCENCE AND DREAM FULFILLMENT

12 and 25 Aug. Meet and talk about experiences of relocation from the Caribbean to the UK and the reality of settling here. Get practical tips for the important task of fulfilling dreams of returning to the Caribbean. Studio C7, Bradbury Street Workspace, 3 Bradbury St, N16. **Info: 020 8925 4807;** glenor.roberts@googlemail.com

GILLETT SQUARE GAMES DAY

Every Sat until 29 Aug, 2-5pm. Universal Board Games will be facilitating four Saturday sessions with games from around the world and some home-grown designs. You are also welcome to bring along your own games. Universal hopes to have some surprise guests each week. Gillett Sq, N16. Free. **Info: 020 7993 3644;** emma.jones@hcd.coop; www.gillettsquare.org.uk

CLAPTON PANEL'S COMMUNITY FUN DAY

5 Sep, 12-4pm. Lots of stands with giveaways from Hackney Homes, Pinnacle, Connaught, Access to Sport, Safer Neighbourhoods and St John Ambulance. Nemesis street dancers and Irish Dancers, bouncy castle, and face painting. Barbecue and Caribbean food stands. Millfields Park, North Casimir Rd, E5. Free. **Info: 020 8806 3731;** claptonpanel@gmail.com; www.claptonpanel.wordpress.com

DE BEAUVOIR GARDENERS FLOWER AND PRODUCE SHOW

13 Sep, 2-5pm. Afternoon show with competition judging and auction, tombola, stalls, dog show, raffle, teas, snail races and children's activities. Enter your baking, home-grown produce and artwork before 11am on the morning of the event. St. Peter's Church, Northchurch Terrace Off De Beauvoir Rd, N1. **Info:** dbg@debeauvoirgardeners.org.uk; www.debeauvoirgardeners.org.uk



Hot shots

REVIEW

An entry from A team 2009

By **Nick Rutherford**

SHOOT Shoreditch is an exhibition of some of the best pictures of the area snapped by people taking part in an interactive photography treasure hunt.

Around 150 people armed with digital cameras followed a list of clues that led them to different destinations, which they then had to photograph as artfully as possible.

They then showed off their results at a big-screen slide show at the Cargo gallery at the end of the hunt on 18 July. Winners were honoured in an awards ceremony, with prizes being given for categories such as best team photo and most creative photo.

Their work is now on show at the gallery in Rivington Street, EC2A, until 23 August – and it is free to visit.

Shoot Experience is an experiential photography organisation producing a wide variety of photography projects, public events, competitions, workshops and corporate events.

This is the fifth consecutive year that the event has taken place in Shoreditch.

For info on the exhibition, call: **020 77393 440**; or visit: **www.cargo-london.com**.

For more information on Shoot Experience, visit: **www.shootexperience.com**

what's on

Important information for submissions

What's On has recently changed its submissions system. You should fill in an e-Form on our website by visiting: **www.hackney.gov.uk/whatson**

This is the way to submit your event listing for publishing in Hackney Today and on the Council's website. Please see the guidance notes on the website for further information.

We reserve the right to edit any material. No submission is guaranteed a listing.

Competitions

In edition 212 Hackney Today offered readers a chance to win tickets to Once On This Island.

The lucky winners are S Baptiste from E8 and G Pakman-Giff from N16

August 2009

Summer Activities

for young people in Hackney

Arts and culture

Day by day

House of the Holy Afro

Age 13 and up

Rich Mix, 35 – 47 Bethnal Green Road, E1 6LA

5 – 8 August 8pm

Traditional African melodies and thumping dance beats. (£15/£12 concessions). Tickets for this event are offered as part of the Night Less Ordinary scheme: if you are under 26 you can apply for a number of FREE tickets for selected performances.

For more info: visit www.richmix.org.uk/Bookings book online on www.viewtickets.co.uk or call: 020 7613 7498.*

Arcola Youth Music Project

Age 11 to 18 FREE

Arcola Theatre, 27 Arcola Street, E8 2DJ

10 – 27 August 10am – 5pm

Work with a professional director, writer and composer to create and perform a musical in just three weeks.

For more info: visit www.arcolatheatre.com/youthmusicproject, email youth@arcolatheatre.com or call 020 7503 1646.

Exposure 2009 @ Hackney Empire

Age 11 to 18 FREE

Hackney Empire Studios, Mare St, E8 1EJ

10-21 August 11am-5pm daily

Immediate Theatre and Family Mosaic present Exposure 2009. Create a show with theatre professionals leading to a performance at Hackney Empire.

For more info: visit www.immediate-theatre.com. To book a place call: 020 7012 1677.

Hipnotic

Age 13 to 19 FREE

Hoxton Hall, 130 Hoxton Street, N1 6SH

10 – 28 August

Join the Hipnotic crew for six weeks of hip-hop master classes. Choose from Breakin', DJing, emceeing and graffiti, fashion design, music production, set design or drama; all leading to a final showcase for family and friends. Sessions take place at various times between 12 and 7pm.

For more info contact ed@hoxtonhall.co.uk or call 020 7684 0060.

Spoken Word: Tongue Fu

Age 16 and up

Rich Mix, 35 – 47 Bethnal Green Road, E1 6LA

13 August 8pm

Hosted by Ventriloquist and the Tongue Fu band (£5). Tickets for this event are offered as part of the Night Less Ordinary scheme: if you are under 26 you can apply for a number of FREE tickets for selected performances.

For more info: visit www.richmix.org.uk/Bookings book online on www.viewtickets.co.uk or call: 020 7613 7498*

A Night Less Ordinary is also available at Hackney Empire and the Arcola Theatre.

For more info: call Hackney Empire (020 8985 2424) or the Arcola (020 7503 1646).

The Spotlight

Age 13 to 25 FREE

Ocean, 270 Mare St, E8 1HE

22 August 7pm

A monthly live music and chat show for young people living in Hackney. The July event was a sell-out!

Book for your free tickets online at: www.thespotlight.org.uk or call Nadu Placca: 020 8986 3222.

Graphic Truths – 'My Word'

Age 16 to 19 FREE

Eastside Educational Trust, Suite 16 Perseverance works, 37 Hackney Road, E2 7NX

12, 13 and 19 September 11am – 4pm

Create comics, graphic reportage and manga inspired by personal stories. Workshops led by experienced artists and writers. Book in advance by phone or email, no later than 28 August.

For more info or to book a place contact Truly Johnston 020 7033 2380 truly@eastside.org.uk.*

Drama workshop

Age 13 to 17 FREE

Homerton Library, Homerton High Street, E9 6AS

22 August 2 – 3.30pm

Run by Judd Batchelor, professional director and actor, who has ten year's experience of working both here and in America.

To book in advance, contact the library on 020 8356 1690.

Film-making with VAULT

Age 14 to 19 FREE

Brady Arts Centre, 192 – 196 Hanbury St, E1 5HU

27 September 10am – 8pm

VAULT is a youth film training project open to all young people across the five Olympic boroughs. Come along to the information day to find out how to crack into the industry and perhaps join the crew on an exciting documentary film project.

Register online at: www.thevaultproject.com*

Throughout the summer

Carnival Group workshop

Age 11 to 19 (up to age 25 with supported needs)

Homerton Library, Homerton High Street, E9 6AS

Every Thursday 11am – 8pm

Run by the Tropical Isles Carnival Group.

For more info: call Marcia Charles or Pervez Chuhan on 020 8356 1690.

Contrast magazine

Age 14 to 19 FREE

The Blue Hut, 49 Provost St, N1 7NZ

Every Tuesday 4.30 – 6.00pm

Are you an aspiring journalist, features writer, editor, or photo editor? Join the editorial team of Hackney's youth magazine, written and produced by young people.

For more info: email contrast@socialspider.com call: Anna or David on 020 8521 5495.

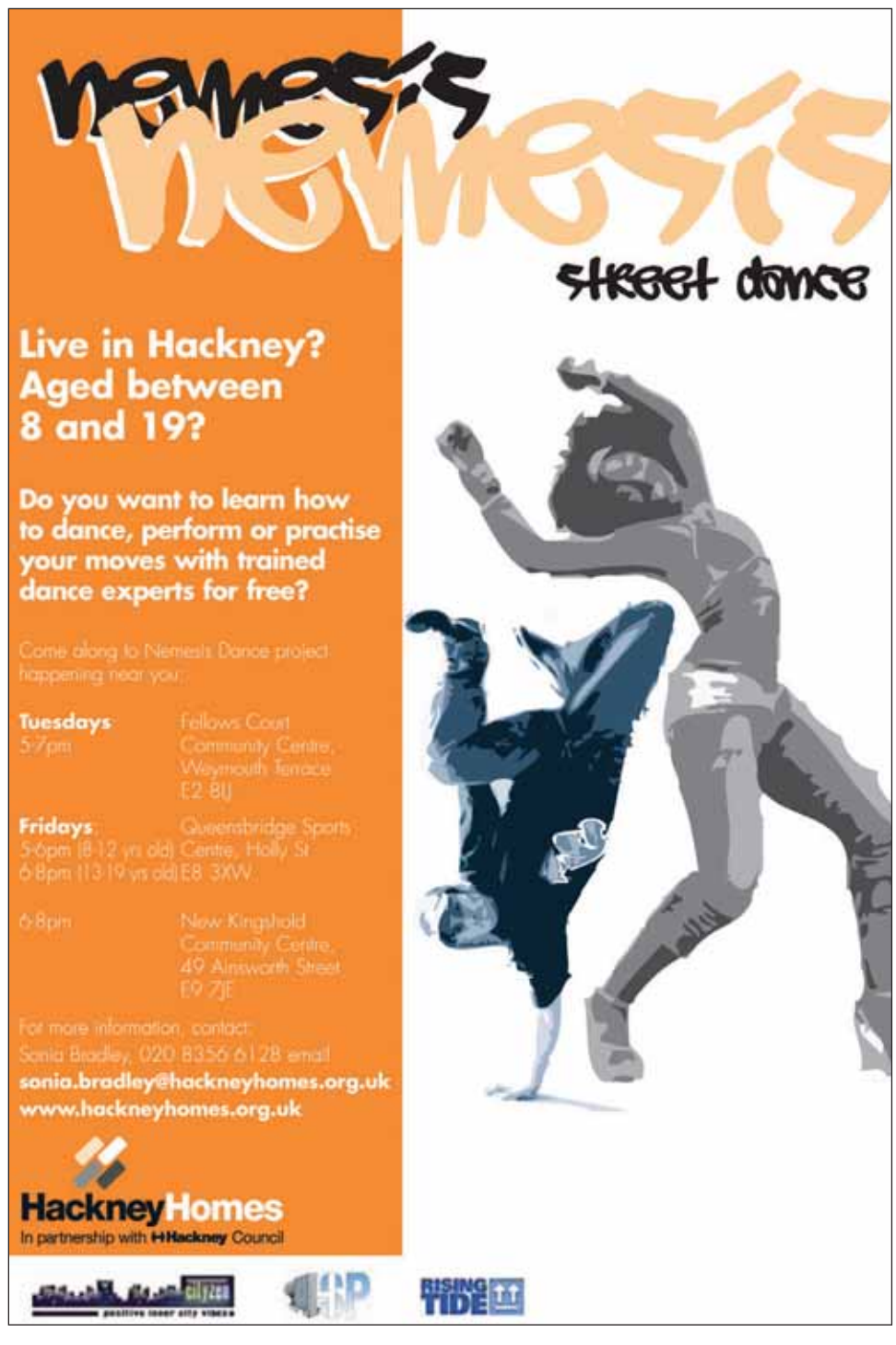
Eastside summer dance programme

Age 14 to 19 FREE

At venues across Hackney

Work with professional dancers to learn everything from Bollywood to African to hip-hop dance. At the end of each project, you and your group will showcase your new skills in front of an audience.

For more info: email Ciara@eastside.org.uk call Ciara 020 7033 2380.*



Hackney www.younghackney.org

Mouth that Roars: Media sessions

Age 13 to 19 FREE

Mouth that Roars, MTR Studio 23, 23 Charlotte Rd, EC2A 3PB

Editing workshops on Wednesdays. 5–8pm. No sessions on Thursdays in August – these will restart in September.

For more info call 020 7729 2323.

Rising Tide: Rising Records

Age 10 to 25 FREE

Ocean, 270 Mare St, E8 1HE

Whether you are an MC, singer/songwriter or producer, learn studio techniques , find out how to get the best out of your art form and work with other students to produce an album.

For more info: visit www.rising-tide.co.uk or call 020 8986 3222.

Rising Tide: Young Promoters' Collective

Age 13 to 25 FREE

Ocean, 270 Mare St, E8 1HE

If you have an idea for your own event or music show, the Young Promoters' Collective is for you. The Rising Tide Events team can help you with everything from funding and budgets to finding a venue and marketing.

For more info: visit www.rising-tide.co.uk or call 020 8986 3222.

Rising Tide: Rehearsal Time

Age 10 to 25 FREE

Ocean, 270 Mare St, E8 1HE

The opportunity to use Rising Tide's writing rooms, studio facilities and band set-up. All you have to do to get started is complete a registration form.

For more info: visit www.rising-tide.co.uk or call 020 8986 3222.

For more information about other FREE Rising Tide courses (for example, singing, musicianship and studio skills) visit www.rising-tide.co.uk or call 0208 986 3222.

Rolling Sound

Age 13 to 19 FREE

Parkside Youth Centre, Woodberry Down Grove, N4 1SN

A range of media courses throughout the summer, 11am – 3pm. Mondays– DJing; Tuesdays– music production; Wednesdays– web design; Thursdays–video game design.

For more info: email krist@rollingsound.co.uk

Call: Kris on: 020 3006 5893.

Sed8 magazine workshops

Age 15 to 22

The Blue Hut, 49 Provost St, N1 7NZ

Weekly workshops on Mondays and Tuesdays from 6.30 – 9pm.

Over the course of eight weeks you will learn the skills necessary to work as part of the Sed8 team.

For more info and to sign up visit: www.sed8magazine.com or email Steph Hegarty: info@sed8magazine.com.*



Street Art

Age 13 to 25 FREE

The Blue Hut, 49 Provost St, N1 7NZ

Unique opportunity to learn street art legally, under the guidance and supervision of a professional artist. Times tbc.

To register visit: www.skyway.uk.com/arts.html email: danny@skyway.uk.com call: 020 7729 6970.

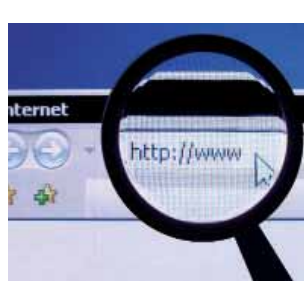
Young Hackney web sessions

Age 13 to 19 FREE

At venues across Hackney

Sign up to become one of young hackney's online editors.

For more info: visit: www.younghackney.org email: lavinia@pointblanklondon.com or call: Lavinia Burrell 020 7729 4884.



Sports & leisure

FREE sports this summer

Access to Sports offer a broad range of sporting activities for young people age 8 to 19. All their activities are delivered by qualified, experienced CRB-checked coaches and tutors.

For more info: call: 020 7686 8812, email: access2sports@aquaterra.org or visit www.accesstosports.org.uk.

Ball Aerobics

Gladesmore community School Sports Hall, Crowland Road, N15 6EB

Age 8 to 21

3 – 26 August

Mondays and Wednesdays 5 – 6.30pm

Ball Aerobics is a unique mix of football, aerobics and basketball.

Football Skillz Camp

Age 8 to 14

Millfields Park, north side, E5

10 – 13 August 4 – 6pm

Football Coaching Programme

Age 8 to 19

Clissold Park, N4

10 – 14 August

8 to 13 year olds 11 – 1pm; 13 to 19 year olds 1.30 – 3.30pm

Football/ Futsal Coaching Programme

Age 8 to 19

Clissold Park, N4

10 – 14 August

8 to 13 year olds 11 – 1pm; 13 to 19 year olds 1.30 – 4pm

Girls-only Football and Multisports

Age 8 to 16

Embolden Clissold Park N4

10 – 14 August 1.30 – 3.30pm

Football and Multisports Camp

Age 8 to 14

Finsbury Park Athletics Track, N4

17–20 August 10am – 3.30pm

Football, basketball, netball.

Football/ Futsal Coaching Programme

Age 8 to 19

Mabley Green, E9

17 – 21 August

8 to 13 year olds 11am – 1pm, 14 to 19 year olds1.30 – 4pm

Rollerskating

Age 11 to 16

Gladesmore Community School, Crowland Road, N15 6EB

17 – 21 August 2 – 4pm

Cricket Camp

Age 8 to 16

Clissold Park, N4

17 – 21 August 10 – 12pm

Cricket Camp

Age 8 to 16

Millfields Park, Casimir Rd, E5

17 – 21 August 2 – 4 pm

Multisports Camp

Age 8 to 14

Finsbury Park Athletic Track, N4

24 – 27 August 10am – 3.30 pm

Football/ Futsal Coaching Programme

Age 8 to 19

Mabley Green, E9

24 – 28 August

8 to13 year olds 11am – 1pm, 14 to 19 year olds 1.30 – 4pm

Cricket Camp

Age 8 to 16

Millfields Park, Casimir Road, E5

24–28 August 10am–12pm

Throughout the summer

Thursday football

Age 16 and up

Finsbury Park Athletics Track, N4

Every Thursday 7.30 – 9.30pm

Saturday football

Age 8 to 14

Millfields Park, E5

Every Saturday 12 – 2pm

Saturday football

Age 8 to 14

Finsbury Park Athletics Track, N4

Every Saturday 10am –12pm

Sunday cricket

Age 8 to 14

Millfields Park, E5

Every Sunday 10am – 12pm

Coaching Education courses

Access to Sports: Basketball Level 1

Age 16 and up FREE

Kings Hall Leisure Centre, 39 Lower Clapton Road E5 0NU

Saturdays 8, 15, 22 August 10am – 5pm

Accredited Coaching Award Level 1 Award in Futsal

Age 16 to 19 FREE

Hackney Wick Community Centre, The Old Baths, 80 Eastway, E9 5JH

21 August 10am – 5pm

FA Level 1 Coaching Award

Age 16 and up FREE

Finsbury Park

25, 26, 28 and 30 August 9am – 5pm

Boys & Girls FA Level 1 Football training course

Ages 16 to 19 FREE

Blue Hut, 49 Provost Street, Hackney, N1 7NZ

17 – 21 August

Work towards an accredited FA level 1 coaching qualification and gain volunteering experience at SkyWay coaching sessions.

To register email marlon@skyway.uk.com or call Marlon Gayle on 020 7729 6970.

Activities at your local leisure centre

If you're under 18 you can swim for free at Britannia, Clissold and Kings Hall – apply for a swim card online.

Britannia Leisure Centre

40 Hyde Road, N1 5JU

Active Fitness

Age 11 to 15

Monday, Wednesday, Friday 3.30 – 5.30pm Saturday 12 – 2pm

(Pay & Play £2.95 Concessionary £2.15 – Members-only activity)

Taekwondo

Age 5 and up

Saturday 12.30 – 2pm

Kendo

Age 7 and up

Saturday Juniors 3 – 4pm Adults (16+) 2–5pm

Non-members £3.20, members £2.25, concessions for members £1.60

Trampolining

Age 11 to 15

Thursday 6–7pm and Saturday 11am – 12pm.

Course starts in September, £40.35 for members, concessions £29.10

For more info: call 020 7729 4485.

Clissold Leisure Centre

63 Clissold Road, N16 9EX

Active Fitness

Tuesdays and Thursday, Friday 4 – 4.45pm or 4.45 – 5.30pm Saturday 12 – 1pm or 1 – 2pm (13 to 15 year olds £12.35 a month).

Also table tennis, badminton and other racket sports.

For more info: call 020 7254 5574.

Kings Hall

39 Lower Clapton Road, E5 0NU

Shokk Youth Fitness Centre

Age 8 to 15

Monday to Friday 10am – 3.00pm, Saturday & Sunday 10.00am – 4.00pm (members-only activity, small joining fee then £2.95 per session, concessionary £2.15)

For details of free activities available at Kings Hall call: 020 8985 2158.

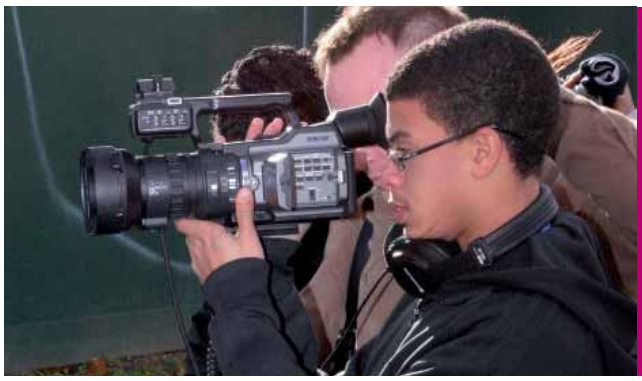
Queensbridge Sports and Community Centre

30 Holly Street, E8 3XW

FREE activities for 13 to 18 year olds

Multisports, Mondays 2 – 5pm; football Thursdays 1 – 3pm; dance Fridays 5 – 8pm and (from 17 August) 10.30am – 2.30pm. Also table tennis, basketball and non-contact boxing.

For more info: call 020 7923 7773.



Sign up for the Frampton Park film project in August. A chance to learn film-making skills (writing, acting, directing) at the Frampton Park Youth Centre E9 7QX. **For more info call: Fiona or Barrett on 020 8533 0210 or 077 7222 7485.**

Youth clubs

Age 13 to 19 (unless otherwise indicated)
FREE
Youth clubs run in the evening throughout the year. For more info visit: www.hackney.gov.uk/youth-service, call your local club or just turn up at the times shown below.

Blue Hut Summer
Bike maintenance: Age 13 to 25 Thursdays 6 – 8pm
Pukka Tukka cooking classes: Age 13 to 19 Tuesdays 5.30 – 7.30pm.
Plus badminton, table tennis, football, basketball, athletics gym sessions and much more.
To register: contact SkyWay on 020 7729 6970 / email info@skyway.uk.com.

Catch22 Hackney, Haggerston / South Hackney YIP
Open access youth clubs at Fellows Court every Monday 5 – 8pm and at Haggerston Community Centre every Wednesday 5 – 8pm, from 20 July. Young Women's group every Monday 5.30–7.30pm at 344 Kingsland Rd. Also, football sessions Tuesdays and Fridays 5 – 8pm at Haggerston Park and trips including: 17 August rock climbing/outdoor adventure, 21 August London Dungeons.
For more info call: 020 7241 6699.

The Crib
Age 12 and up
Working at various sites across Hackney throughout the summer.
For more info: email the.crib@hotmail.co.uk call Janette 078 1390 1751.

Elevate Summer
Age 12 to 19 FREE
Summer activities taking place at Lea View, Jack Watts, Woodberry Down and Amwell Court. Also, youth activities youth groups, activities, games at Lincoln Court, Ben Simons Hall, Bethune Rd, N16: Tuesdays 11 and 18 August 6 – 8pm.
For more info: call Tania 0787 267 5569.

Fawcett youth group
Fawcett Community Hall E5 9DG
Monday 6 – 8 pm.
Starts 14 September
Creative activities, cooking.
For more info call: Tania 0787 267 5569.

Fellows Court
Community Centre Weymouth Terrace, E2 8LR
Fridays 6.30 – 9.30pm and Sundays 4pm – 7pm
Catch 22 are also running an open access club on Mondays.
For more info: email paul.morgan@hackney.gov.uk, call 020 8356 4488 or 079 7634 2267.

Forest Road Young People's Centre
29 Forest Road, E8 3BY
Youth club open on Tuesdays and Thursdays 6.30 –9.30pm. Extra-time activities over the summer on Wednesdays, Fridays and Saturdays including: table tennis, dance, basketball and boxing,
For more info: email wayne.harewood@hackney.gov.uk call: 020 7254 1208.

Frampton Park
Well St, E9 7QX
Tuesdays, Thursdays and Fridays: 6.30 – 9.30pm
For more info: call Fiona or Barrett on 020 8533 0210 or 077 7222 7485.

Green Door (Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender Project)
5.30 – 8.30 pm
Open Tuesdays and Thursdays c/o Youth Service
For more info: call: 020 8356 7404.

Hackney Marsh Partnership
The Concorde Club, 8 –9 Kingsmead Way, E9 5PP
For more info: call Jeanna Brodie-Mends on 020 8533 3703 or drop into the Concorde centre.

Hackney Quest
Age 9 to 18
1 Poole Road, E9 7AE
Activities throughout the summer including cinema trips; cycle ventures; climbing; a girls-only day on 12 August and a boys-only day on 20 August. £2 per day.
For more info: call 020 8533 5480.

London Gypsy and Traveller Unit
6 Westgate St, E8 3RN
LGTU ensures all young Travellers can enjoy activities and access support.
For more info: visit www.lgtu.org.uk or call 020 8533 2002.*

Lordship South Community Hall
14 Lordship Grove, N16 OQA
Open Thursdays 6 – 9pm and Sundays 4 – 7pm
For more info: call Emma on 077 7256 5573.

Marcon Court Youth Club
Aspland & Marcon Court Community Hall, Amhurst Road, E8 1LN
Open Tuesdays 6.30 – 9pm
For more info: email boyden.stephens@hackney.gov.uk, or call: 079 7611 3463.

North London Muslim Community Centre
Age 8 to 19
66 – 68 Cazenove Road, N16 6AA
Spaces still available for the 15 to 19 summer activities programme. Also a few places on the bushcraft week and graffiti workshop.
For more info: call Haroon Alibhai on 020 8806 1147 email youth@nlmcc.org.uk.

Parkside Youth Club
Woodberry Grove, N4 1SN
Until 21 August open Monday to Friday 12pm – 8pm
For more info: email renee.samuel@hackney.gov.uk call 020 8800 6814.

Peabody Trust
Pembury Estate, Community Hall, E5 8JW
3–28 August
Activities this month include: an animation project, community safety workshops, a healthy eating project and sports activities.
For more info: call Sharon Barbour 07768 536 725.

Pedro Youth Club
175 Rushmore Rd, E5 OHD
For more info: call Carol or Patrick on 020 8985 3800.*

Regents Youth Centre
Community Hall, 52 Brougham Road, E8 4PB
Open Wednesdays and Fridays 6 – 9pm
For more info: email paul.morgan@hackney.gov.uk or call 020 8356 4488.

Smalley Road Youth Centre
Fire Station, Leswin Rd, N16
Open Saturdays 6 – 9pm
For more info: email magdalene.royer@hackney.gov.uk.

Turkish Education Development Association (TEDA)
Aziziye Education Centre, 117 – 119 Stoke Newington Road, N16 8BU
Open Monday to Friday 9.30 – 7pm.
Activities over the summer include: a youth leadership course, a web design course and trips away.
For more info:
visit www.teda.org.uk
email yasar@teda.org.uk
call 020 7254 5566.

VLC Centre
Age 6 to 14
152 Whiston Road, E2 8BN
Community centre for Vietnamese, Laotian and Cambodian young people.
For more info: email vlccentre@yahoo.co.uk or call 020 7739 3650.*

Wrens Park
The Community Hall, Warwick Grove, E5 9LL
Open Wednesdays and Fridays 6 – 9pm
For more info: email paul.morgan@hackney.gov.uk or call 020 8356 4488.

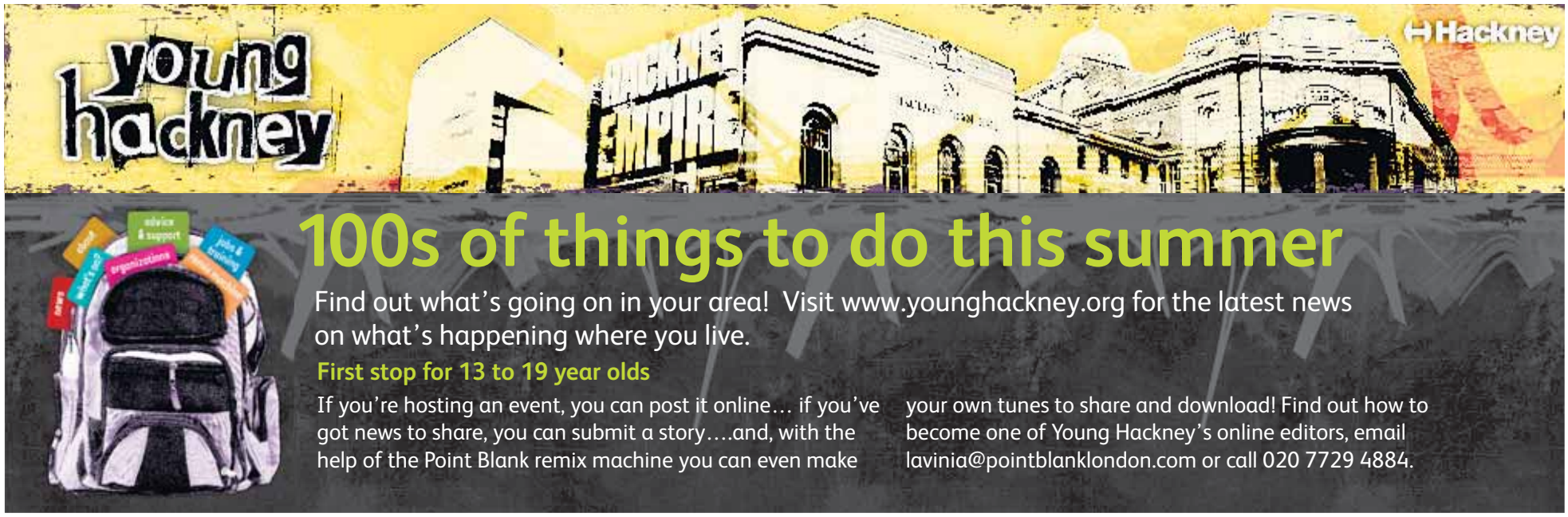
Yorkshire Grove
Community Hall, 20 Gunstor Rd, N16 8HF
Open Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays 6.30 – 9.30pm
For more info: email paul.morgan@hackney.gov.uk or call 020 8356 4488.

Laburnum boat club
Laburnum Street, E2 8BA
Monday to Friday 10am to 4pm, 20 July – 21 August.
Canoeing, kayaking and rowing, football, table tennis, arts and crafts, day trips and outings. Open to all. £1 a day.
For more info visit: www.laburnum.org.uk, email: laburnumboatclub@tiscali.co.uk or call: 020 7729 2915.





Hackney's two Purple Buses are going on a summer holiday once again, bringing activities, advice and support to your doorstep. Watch out for the bus as it rolls up to your street. Times: 2.30 to 6.30pm. For venues call Shilpa on 0777 222 7486 or Naomi on 07527 385 571.



Get involved

Youth Forums

Age 13 to 19

Why get involved?

You can help make our community safer, more enjoyable and give young people more things to do. Help plan events, put on workshops and join in debates. So, come along and make sure your opinion is heard at your next local forum meeting.

For more info:

Stoke Newington Youth Forum and Shoreditch Youth Forum:

call Mandy on 07527 385 680 or Michael on 07772 227 319.

Homerton Youth Forum and North East Youth Forum:

call Cat on 07527 385 664 or Nathan on 07976 342 244.

Volunteering opportunities

Age 13 to 25

For more information about volunteering opportunities in the borough contact Hackney Voluntary Action (HVA) www.hackneyvoluntaryaction.org.uk email: giv@hackneyvoluntaryaction.org.uk.

If you'd like to be part of the Rising Tide Music Ambassadors programme and promote live events across the borough, call: 020 8986 3222.

Rich Mix has just started their own Youth Ambassadors scheme. The next meeting is on 5 August, 5pm, where you can enjoy a sneak preview of the new season programme and take part in a brainstorming session with other Ambassadors. Contact 020 7613 7498.

SkyWay offers volunteering opportunities for 16 to 19 year olds interested in: event management, web design, marketing and IT. For more info visit: ww.skyway.uk.com/help.html email Daniel@skyway.uk.com or call 020 7729 6970.

First Aid at Hackney Free

Age 11 to 19

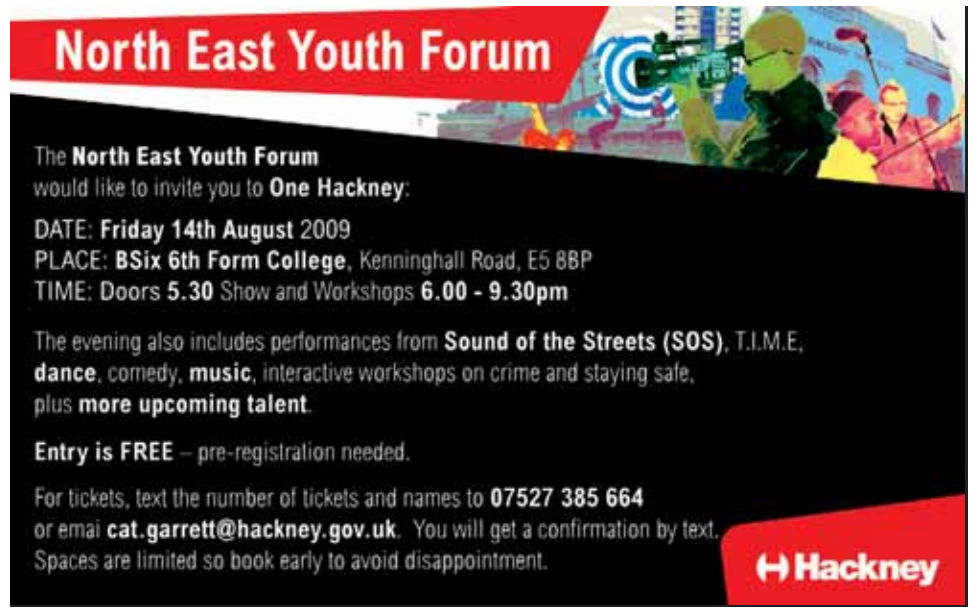
Hackney Free and Parochial C of E School, Paragon Road, E9 6NR

18 – 19 August, 10 – 2pm

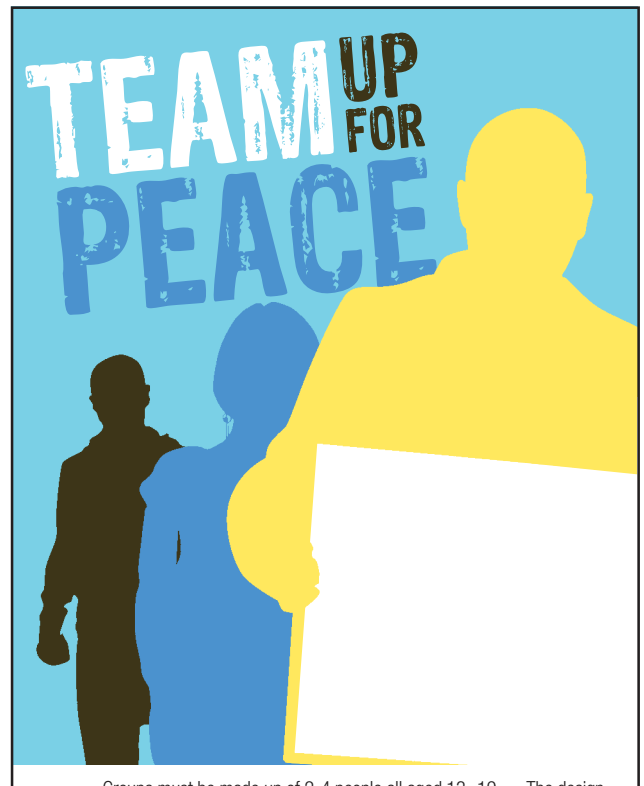
Basic First Aid training course.

For more info call Jean Clarke: 020 8985 2430.

Tell us what you think!
We're always looking at ways that we can improve what we do… if you've got any ideas or suggestions email the youth service at: info@hackney.gov.uk



* While we have done everything we can to ensure that the events and organisations listed here are of high quality and that the times given are reliable, Hackney Council cannot be held responsible for provision that it does not directly fund, or commission through voluntary organisations. Please contact the provider directly if you have any questions.



Groups must be made up of 2-4 people all aged 13 -19 The design must be A4, landscape or portrait Please include a separate, brief explanation of the thinking behind the design – up to 100 words You can use any materials you like including computer design packages - if you need advice on the acceptable formats, please contact us You can return your design by: Email: michelle.flood@hackney.gov.uk. Post or by hand: 'T-shirt competition', Room 117, Hackney Town Hall, E8 1EA or you can drop it off at any Hackney library. Please include your name, address, contact telephone number and the name of the youth centre or group you attend if appropriate, on a separate sheet Closing date for entries is 5pm, Friday 21 August The judges' decision will be final. **If you need any further information please call Michelle or Siobhan on 020 8356 3334**

Need Support?

Do you need support accessing services in Hackney, including information about employment education or training? If so, a Positive Activities Worker could help you. We work with young Hackney residents aged 11 to 19, or up to age 25 if you have learning difficulties or are disabled.

For more info: call 020 8356 4408/6313.

Youth Support Service

The Youth Support Service offers young people in Hackney advice, support and guidance on drugs, alcohol and other substance misuse. Drop-in sessions at Connexions and local youth and community settings.

For more info: call 0208 356 4408.

Fairbridge

The Grove Youth Centre, 23 Hackney Grove, E8 3NR

Working with young people aged 13 to 25 facing multiple issues, such as school exclusion and homelessness. Fairbridge offers structured courses and support tailored to individual needs.

For more info: email hackney@fairbridge.org.uk call 020 8985 4880.

Keep it Moving

Helping 16 to 18 year olds get into work, education or training. For more info call: Ismael or Emma from Elevate on 078 7267 5570.

Haggerston YIP

Open access careers/employability session at Haggerston YIP, 25 and 26 August 2pm – 4pm. For more info: contact the team on; 020 7241 6699.

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A page written by young people in Hackney

Essence of rising creativity

By **Shannique Smith, 16, Bianca Manu, 15 and Antonio Akue, 15**

WITH street dance rising in popularity after the success of dance groups Diversity and Flawless on Britain's Got Talent, Hackney-based dancers Ebonessence could soon gain similar exposure.

Ebonessence are an example of the rising creative force of young Hackney. The dance group, which was founded seven years ago, could potentially follow in the footsteps of Flawless and Diversity. Though they admit they're not as good as them yet and this motivates them to want to achieve more.

With a buzz among local young people in Hackney; and some of their dancers having featured in Bashy's 'Who Wants To Be A Millionaire?' video, they continue to impress many through their YouTube videos and live performances.

> "When I got into dance everything became easier"

We went to Ebonessence rehearsals at the Stepping Up Youth Club in Homerton to see for ourselves what all the hype was about.

Ebonessence's tutor Michelle is classically trained in jazz, contemporary and ballet dance styles. She has also worked with the likes of Whitney Houston, Robbie Williams and Mel B, so many of her students aspire to be like her.

Even though Michelle wasn't a high achiever in the school system, she found a way to prove people wrong through dance. She said: "I didn't get good grades so I think I was the underdog, I suppose. They didn't think I would go to uni or anything like that.

"When I got into dance everything became easier. I went to uni and got a degree. All of that I achieved because I was so in love with dance."

This shows that you don't have to be an academic to achieve, and it is a good example for those who aren't doing well at school.

Ebonessence have an open door policy, which encourages young people to join without the pressures of being rejected. They also have a structure for their young dancers to progress through different stages. The group is split into beginners, intermediate and advanced categories. This is a well organised dance school providing a learning experience.

As one young dancer told us, being part Ebonessence has given her 'confidence, dance ability and winning shows'.



Ebonessence perform a contemporary piece called 'iD' at this year's Shoreditch Festival, choreographed by Joshua Chester

HEADLINERS
MAKING NEWS CHANGING LIVES

The stories on this page have been supplied by Headliners – a youth journalism charity, that helps young people aged 8 to 19 to produce videos, radio, written news reports and podcasts. For more information: **www.headliners.org**



Food for thought

By **Marcel Reinard**

PUPILS from the Petchey Academy are to sell food grown on their allotment to a celebrity chef's London restaurant.

Oliver Rowe – whose BBC programme The Urban Chef aimed to source food created within the capital – and the Academy have set up an agreement that will see the school's produce bought for the chef's Konstam at the Prince Albert Restaurant, WC1.

Another deal has been formed by the E8 Academy, which will see its food exchanged with medicinal herbs from an Austrian monastery.

Petchey assistant vice-principal, Fiona Hattersley-Smith, said: "The children really enjoy coming down, getting their hands dirty and going home with home-grown, organic produce. It's about trying to educate young people about where their food comes from."



Pupils from the Petchey Academy on their allotment, which was officially opened by chef Oliver Rowe (centre)

She added that they are now looking to work with other Hackney schools to create a £300,000 natural food initiative.

The deals have come about following on from the launch of the Petchey Kitchen Garden Project, a Big Lottery Local Food funded £10,000 venture, jointly run with Hackney environmental charity ecoActive.



NHS

What are the symptoms of swine flu?

If you have a fever or a high temperature (over 38°C / 100.4°F) and have two of the following symptoms: unusual tiredness, headache, runny nose, sore throat, shortness of breath or cough, loss of appetite, aching muscles, diarrhoea or vomiting, you may have swine flu.

What are antivirals and how can they help?

Antivirals can't cure swine flu but they can help you to recover more quickly and they can relieve some of your symptoms.

When is it better to contact your doctor?

You should contact your doctor direct rather than using the National Pandemic Flu Service if:

- **You have a serious underlying illness.**
- **You are pregnant.**
- **You have a sick child under one year old.**
- **You or your child's condition suddenly gets much worse.**
- **Your condition is still getting worse after 7 days (5 days for a child).**

What are flu friends and how can they help?

Flu friends are family members, friends or neighbours who can help you if you get ill. They can contact the National Pandemic Flu Service on your behalf to assist with the assessment, and if required they can collect antivirals as well as help with food and over-the-counter medicines. This will avoid you having to leave your home and prevent you spreading the virus within your community, so it's advised that you nominate at least one friend now.

To use the National Pandemic Flu Service and to collect antivirals, your flu friend will need their own **and** the patient's ID (a list of IDs will be available from the online service or the call centre). If you have any underlying health conditions, it's important your flu friend knows about them when using the service on your behalf.

Where can I go for more general information?

For more information on swine flu visit **www.direct.gov.uk/pandemicflu** or call the Information Line on **0800 1 513 513.**

Flu. Protect yourself and others.

Calls to these numbers are free from landlines. Calls from mobiles may vary, please check with your provider.

NATIONAL PANDEMIC FLU SERVICE

www.direct.gov.uk/pandemicflu
INFORMATION 0800 1 513 513
TREATMENT 0800 1 513 100

IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT TREATMENT FOR SWINE FLU

A new strain of Influenza A (H1N1), also known as swine flu, was confirmed in the UK in April and has spread to more than 100 countries around the world prompting the World Health Organization (WHO) to declare a global flu pandemic.

The National Pandemic Flu Service

In order to deal with the increasing number of cases of swine flu in England, the NHS has launched the National Pandemic Flu Service. This is a new self-care service with online and phone access which allows you to check your symptoms and access antivirals if required, or receive advice on symptom-relief. This service is only intended for people who are ill with swine flu. It still allows you to go to your doctor if necessary.

Staying at home and accessing antivirals via the National Pandemic Flu Service will reduce pressure on your GP surgery and local NHS services and prevent you spreading the virus within your community.

How to use the National Pandemic Flu Service

1. Go online at **www.direct.gov.uk/pandemicflu** or call **0800 1 513 100.** Textphone is available on **0800 1 513 200.**
2. You'll be taken through a list of simple questions about your symptoms and medical history, and asked to confirm your date of birth, name and address including your postcode.
3. If you are confirmed as having swine flu, you may be given an authorisation number which will allow your 'flu friend' (a family member, friend or neighbour) to collect a course of antivirals on your behalf from a local collection point in your area. You will also be given advice on how to treat your symptoms at home.

health

This page was compiled with the help of Homerton hospital, NHS City and Hackney, and the East London NHS Foundation Trust

TOP SCORES



Countryside for carers

Carers can take a break from looking after someone and relax in the countryside



By **James Willsher**

FREE short breaks are available for those who care for Hackney residents, including travel, accommodation, and food.

The breaks take place at a rural retreat centre in Suffolk, and offer a complete break from caring; new skills to help manage stress; the chance to make new friends; time to relax, have fun and enjoy the countryside.

> **Hackney is committed to improving services for carers**

They are available to carers, subject to an eligibility assessment, and dates currently available are 7-9 September; 9-11 September; 2-4 November; 4-6 November; and for next year include 8-10 March; and 10-12 March.

A carer is someone who provides help and support to a partner, child, parent, other relative, friend or neighbour, who could not manage without their help.

This could be due to age, physical or mental illness, addiction or disability. The Council provides a range of support services for carers, including free training courses; support accessing work and education opportunities; an emergency home respite service; and the Carers Card, offering concessionary rates of up to 50 per cent at Council leisure centres and discounts at local shops.

Cllr Nargis Khan, Cabinet Member for Community Services, said: "Hackney is committed to improving services for carers, and to valuing their important role."

MORE INFO

To apply for a retreat, or a carer's assessment call: **020 8356 5054** or e-mail: **carers@hackney.gov.uk**

Leading the way for dementia

HACKNEY has been chosen by the Government for an innovative pilot scheme to support residents with dementia.

Community representatives will help to create support groups so those with dementia and their families and carers don't feel isolated and are in touch with friends who understand their situation.

The £140,000 scheme is known as a Peer Support Network. Advice will also be given to people with dementia and their carers at an early stage, to help them manage the illness better, and support a greater independence from residential care and early hospital admissions.

The Department of Health has chosen the borough to host the pilot, which is being jointly organised by the Council, NHS City and Hackney, the Hackney and City branch of the Alzheimer's Society, with support from the City of London.

Cllr Nargis Khan, Cabinet Member for Community Services, said: "The Council is committed to providing high-quality services that enable adults and older people to live as independently as possible, exercising maximum choice over their lives, and I am delighted that residents will benefit from this innovative scheme"

A total of £1.2 million has also been invested in a new memory clinic and dementia care team in Hackney, which offers increased early intervention to prevent the onset of further mental health illness.

MORE INFO

Call: **020 8533 0091**; or e-mail: **julian.lloyd@alzheimers.org.uk**

NEWS IN BRIEF

Help to stop smoking during Ramadan



MUSLIM smokers in Hackney are being offered help to quit for Ramadan, which falls this year between 22 August and 21 September.

Ramadan takes place in the ninth month of the Islamic calendar. Muslims abstain from food, drink and, for those who smoke, cigarettes, during daylight hours.

NHS City and Hackney is supporting two initiatives to encourage Islamic smokers.

Street recruiters will be approaching smokers in some of Hackney's major pedestrian areas, offering advice on how to access NHS City and Hackney's stop smoking service. Those who want to quit will be directed to their local pharmacy where counselling and advise on nicotine replacement therapy (NRT) are available.

Some of Hackney's mosques are also taking part in a campaign in partnership between NHS City and Hackney and the Muslim Health Network.

Imams at the Suleymaniye Mosque, E2, and Aziziye Mosque, N16, will be giving sermons on smoking and its damaging effects during Friday prayers in the lead up to Ramadan. Stop smoking advisors will be available at some mosques to give advice to people who want to kick the habit. Mosque attendees will also be given Ramadan prayer calendars with stop smoking messages on them to help encourage take up of the service.

For info on stopping smoking visit a pharmacist, GP; or call: **0800 169 1943.**

Shape mental heath services



The closing date for nominations is 25 August

EAST London NHS Foundation Trust is looking for local people to stand for election to its members' council.

These people will help to shape mental health services and represent the views of local people. The closing date for nominations is 25 August.

A spokesman said: "There are no particular qualifications or defined skills required, just a willingness to be involved and represent people in your area.

"Having a broad and representative membership base and a members' council elected from, and by, those members, is key to working together to better meet the needs of our local communities."

Chair Baroness Molly Meacher said: "The council is hugely important in ensuring the trust meets the needs of people with mental health problems in East London."

Anyone interested in standing for election should call: **020 8889 9203**; or visit: **www.eastlondon.nhs.uk**, and go to the members' section.

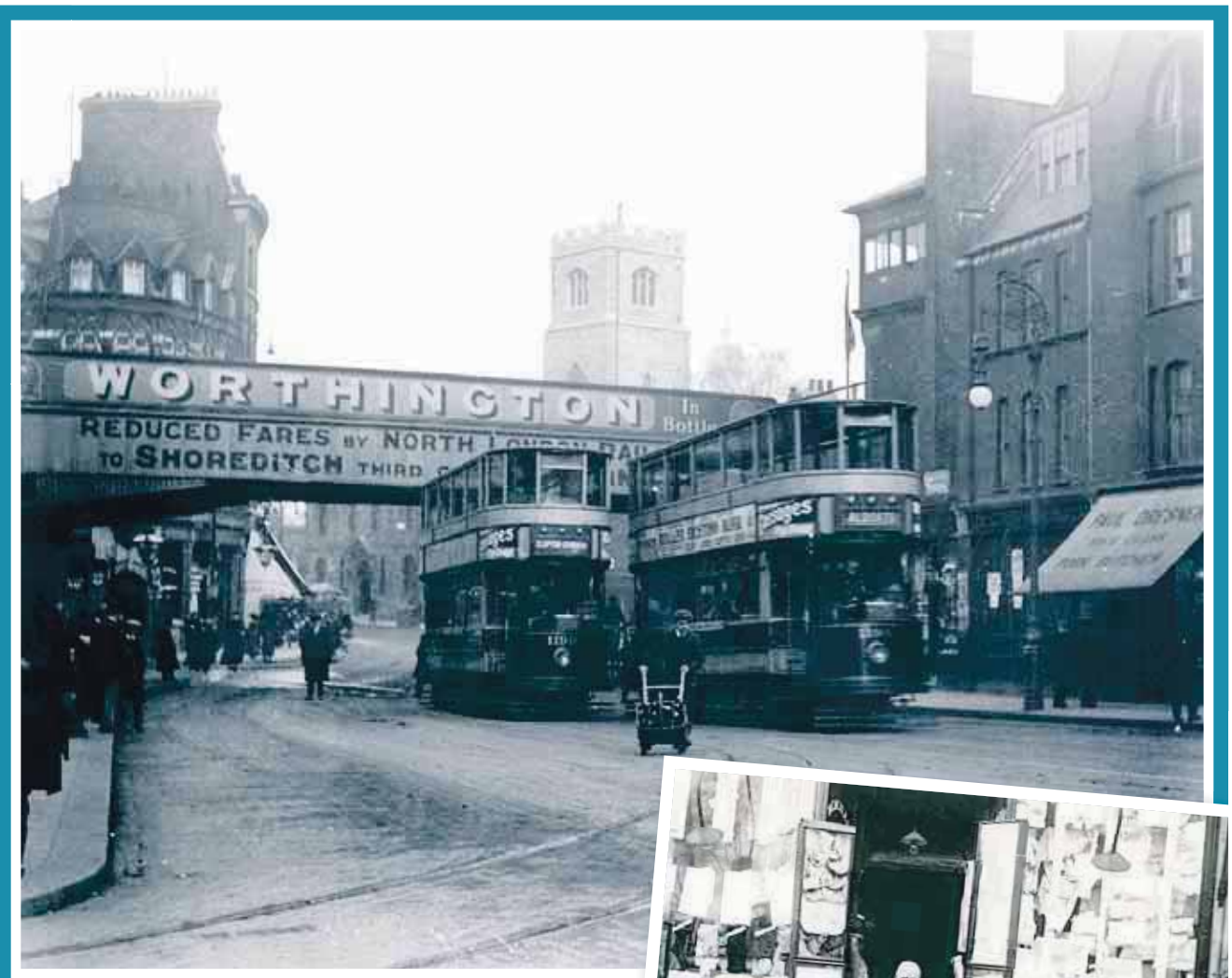
Signs of the times

By Siân Mogridge
Archivist

HOW a shop front has been designed is an important part of advertising.

The décor, the way the merchandise is displayed in the window, the type of font used for the name – all these can attract people to a shop, or make them head for the nearest competitor.

But this is not a new art form. Have a look at these photos of shop fronts in Hackney over the years, just a small selection taken from the photos at Hackney Archives.



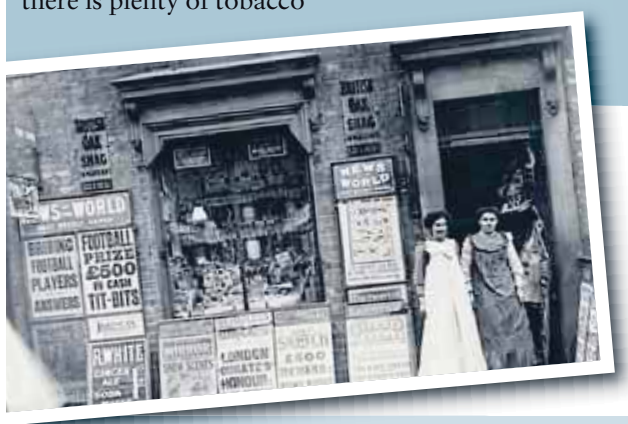


Mare Street in Hackney Central at the turn of the last century and a selection of shops showing how important frontages can be to advertising

Newsagents

James Munns' newsagents and tobacconists, (below) in Gainsborough Road.

Quite a cluttered style here, but it's easy to see what the shop's products are – newspapers are clearly displayed and there is plenty of tobacco advertising. If blown up very large, you can see that the date on the Daily Mirror in this picture is Tuesday, 13 January, 1914. The headlines give a tantalising hint of the news stories of the day.



Butchers

CH Webb's butcher's, 53 Pitfield Street (below). This window display could come from many modern butchers' shops.

The photo was taken in October 1955 as part of a food hygiene inspection, which this shop passed with flying colours.



Drapers

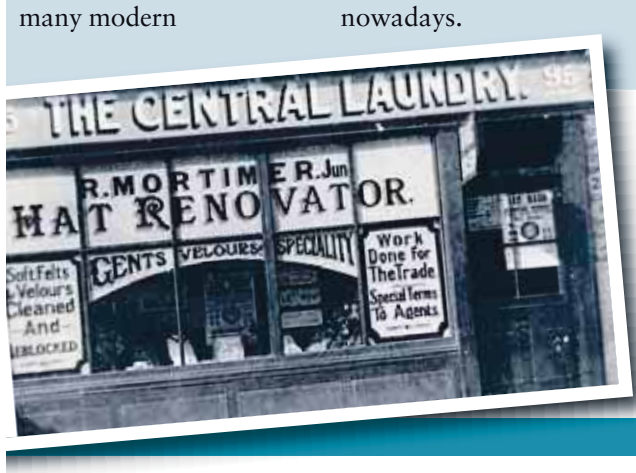
Drapers, 82 Dalston Lane, c.1908 (above). Rather a crowded shop window with plenty of clothing and linen on display. However, it's not just the shopfront that matters. How the shopkeeper dresses is also important, especially in a draper's shop.

Here the proprietor, Mr GH Whiter, is looking particularly smart.

Laundry

The Central Laundry, 95 Haggerston Road, c.1930 (below).

Fewer items are actually displayed in the window here, but – as in many modern laundrettes – there are plenty of notices advertising the services provided. Although there is less demand for hat renovators nowadays.

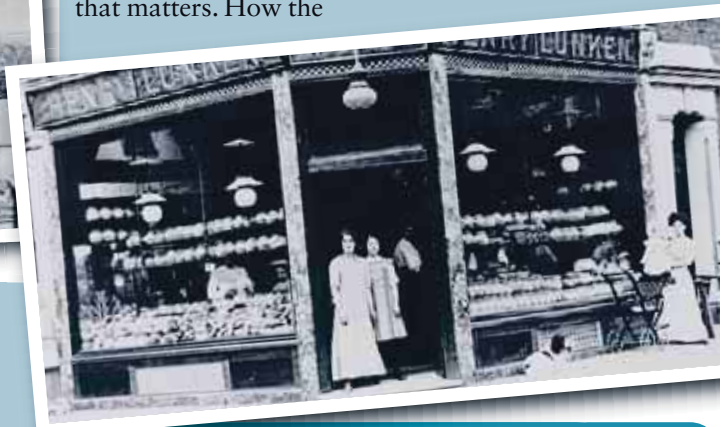


Bakers

This baker's shop at 71 Chatsworth Road (right) is not short on window space.

It has been well lit (you can see the lampshades hanging in the windows) and there are plenty of loaves on display.

Henry Lunken had been running a bakery here for at least 14 years when this photo was taken in 1913, but he had left by 1915.



MORE INFO

Hackney Archives – based at **43 De Beauvoir Road, N1**– looks after Council administrative records and archives dating back to 1700. It also keeps records for individuals and organisations with links to Hackney. Call: **020 7241 2886**, or visit: **www.hackney.gov.uk/archives**



The Underoccupation Cash Incentive Scheme

Is your home too big?

For friendly and and helpful advice about your housing options including possibilities of moving out of the borough, contact:

The Lettings Initiative team, Christopher Addison House,
72 Wilton Way, London E8 1BJ
Phone: 0208 356 5765 or 0208 356 5769
or 020 8356 2977.

Hackney

Choose and Move

Is your property severely overcrowded?



If you answered 'yes' then this may be the scheme for you.

What's in it for you?

- £6000 cash incentive
- A dedicated officer to help you find a suitable property and assist you every step of the way
- A list of private landlords in all areas

WE HAVE LIMITED FUNDS FOR THIS SCHEME AND ACCEPTANCE WILL BE ON A FIRST COME FIRST SERVED BASIS.

For further information, please contact the Lettings Initiative team on; 020 8356 5751

Hackney







Dozens of cyclists took advantage of a five-minute bike check up organised by the Council

A pit stop for safety



By **Gabriel Harriss**

MORE than 150 cyclists rolled up to Northchurch Terrace, N1, for a free five-minute bike check up as part of the Council's Cycle with Confidence campaign.

The Cycle Pit Stop on 14 July was one in a series of events designed for cyclists of all levels, to boost confidence and get more people in the borough using bicycles.

Five qualified mechanics checked around 100 bikes and provided advice for three hours. Cyclists at the event, organised by the Council's Streetscene Department, also got information and maps, and were able to buy subsidised bike accessories.

The event was part of a month-long campaign that included free cycle training, and the chance to see how a cyclist looks from the cab of a lorry and learn about positioning when cycling near an HGV. On the same day more than 300 cyclists stopped at Kingsland Fire Station for advice and information from the Council's road safety team and the Met's traffic police. People took time to sit in one of the two lorry cabs on site, and see the road from a driver's perspective.

> **"Cycle with Confidence has been a great success"**

Cllr Alan Laing, the Council's Cabinet Member for Neighbourhoods, said: "Cycle with Confidence has been a great success, providing training and advice to encourage more people to get on their bikes.

"Cycling is a healthy, low cost and environmentally friendly way to travel and it's great to see the growing number of people making use of our excellent routes and facilities."

At another cycle pit stop in Bouverie Road, N16, on 23 July, more than 100 cyclists turned up and more than 60 bikes were checked.

MORE INFO

Visit: **www.hackney.gov.uk/movebybike**

NEWS IN BRIEF

Film could save cyclists' lives

CYCLISTS are being urged to watch a five-minute film that could help save lives on the borough's roads.

Transport for London (TfL) has made a new safety training film for cyclists and lorry drivers aimed at cutting the number of people killed and seriously injured in the capital.

Figures show four cyclists have been killed and five have been seriously injured in accidents with heavy goods vehicles (HGVs) in Hackney in the last three years.

Residents are also being encouraged to sign up for cycle training through the Council, which is free for both adults and children. It teaches them how to deal with a wide range of traffic conditions – including how to be safe around large vehicles. For info visit: Visit: **www.hackney.gov.uk/movebybike** To view the film online visit: **www.tfl.gov.uk/cycling;** to book free cycle training in Hackney call: **020 7231 6005**

Nominate best biking project

DO you know a great cycling project going on in Hackney? If so here's your chance to nominate it for the London Cycling Awards 2009.

The awards, run by the London Cycling Campaign (LCC), recognise the best contributions to the growth of cycling in the capital.

Anyone can nominate a cycling project or facility for an award, and self-nominations are welcome.

Last year Hackney was rewarded for STA Bikes' Family Cycle Club, based at Sir Thomas Abney Primary School, as well as for Frampton Park Estate's secure bike lockers (right). The deadline is 10am on 19 October. Details on how to submit a nomination can be found at: **www.lcc.org.uk/awards**









Hackney pair's winning birds

A FATHER and son from Hackney have scooped top prizes in the London Underground and Royal Society for the Protection of Birds (RSPB) Mind the Bird photo competition.

Jack, 40, and Adam Hawkins, 14, from Clapton won two of three prizes, beating more than 900 entries.

The competition encourages Londoners to discover the capital's rich and varied birdlife and show how easy it is to get close to green spaces and wildlife.

Adam's winning photo (left) was of a seagull mid-flight clutching an ice cream cone.

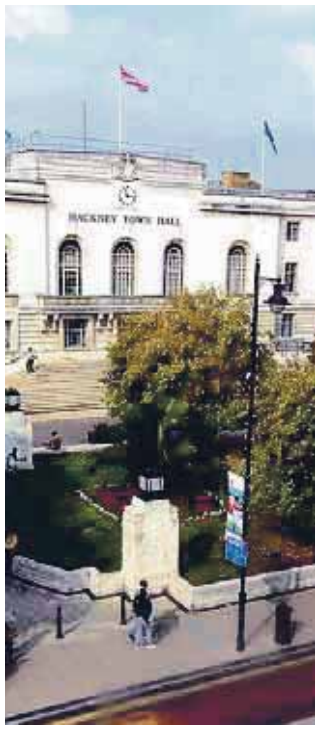
Adam (pictured with father, Jack) said: "I enjoy going for walks around London with Dad to see the different types of wildlife out there.

"With all these prizes I am getting though, Dad had better watch out as he's now got some stiff competition under his own roof!"

The bird pictures can be viewed at: **www.flickr.com/groups/lu-rspb_mindthebird**

Hackney is now recognised as the most improved Council in the UK, serving one of the most diverse populations. Regeneration is improving housing, public services and transport links. Crime is falling. Exam results are up. The Olympics are coming...





Job vacancies

Community Services

Community Support Officer

£25,263 - £26,724
Closing date: 13 Aug
Ref: CMS0003

You will provide a rehabilitation and employment service to allow people with enduring mental health problems to live stable and satisfying lives. In particular, you will develop participatory and empowering day activities at the centre, focusing on employment, education and rehabilitation.

You will have skills to engage and work constructively with our clients, and the ability to deliver training to individuals and groups, and support the development of social activities and enterprises. You will also support work in different areas with a primary focus on catering.

A must for this role will be experience of working with people with enduring mental health problems and running group training sessions. You will also have good catering skills and ideally a qualification in a relevant field.

Job Profile
Laurie Grandi



Community Support Officer at Lee House Rehabilitation and Employment Centre, talks to Hackney Today about the role

What are the main responsibilities of the role?

You will support adults suffering from severe and enduring mental health issues. Here at the Lee House Rehabilitation and Employment Centre, you'll work with us to help with their integration back into the community, and with getting back to work. We run classes and courses in three main areas: administration, catering and horticulture. There are also some extra classes, ranging from literacy to art.

You'll be responsible for a caseload of members. This involves writing a support and development plan with them every three or six months, and meeting with them regularly to see how things are going. We usually talk about their progress at Lee House, or with employment, but sometimes we may also need to help our members get support with issues from other areas of their life.

We run classes to help our members with their rehabilitation and employment. I teach a few computer classes ranging from beginner to advanced study; and I facilitate a Hearing Voices support group. I also facilitate rehearsals and arrange performances for The Light Sleepers, the Lee House band.

Finally, there are admin responsibilities related to the other two roles. I have to keep up-to-date paper work on all my caseload of contact members. I have to make sure that all the resources for the admin unit and other groups I run are kept stocked up and place orders for materials. Lastly, I am responsible for the arranging and invoicing of the Light Sleepers shows.

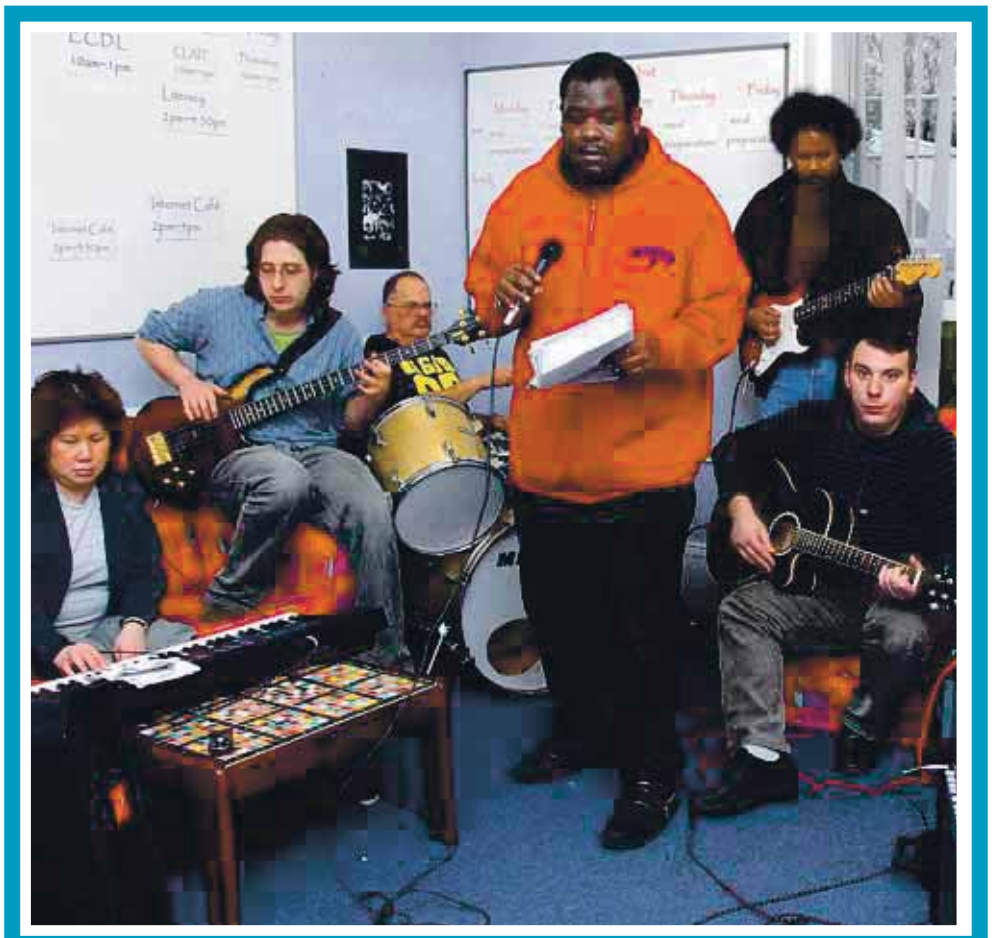
What are the ideal qualities you are looking for?

A big part of our role is to encourage and motivate people, so a positive attitude is very important. Some of the people we support may have difficulty learning new skills and retaining information so patience is also important. The ability to work in groups and create a good learning environment is very useful, so the role is suited to motivated and self-starting people. When working with a vulnerable client group, there is always a risk of becoming caught up in other people's difficulties and emotional upset, so I think emotional resilience also is beneficial.

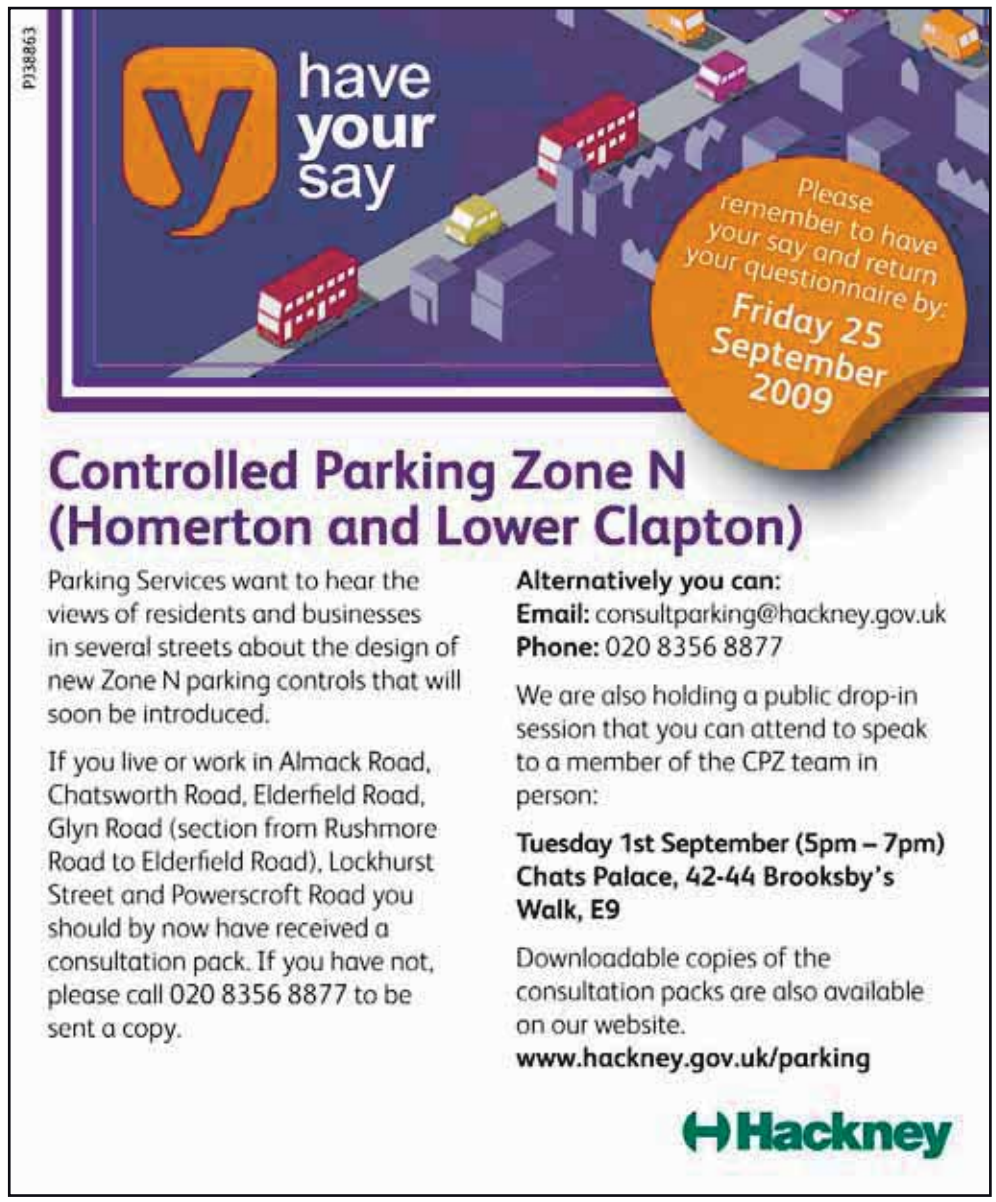
Why is it good to work for Hackney?

In my experience, there is a lot of support from management. We have regular meetings and my point of view is always considered.

I like the option of flexible working. This allows me to balance work with visiting friends out of London and playing in a band – The Housewives. I also like the staff team I work with, which really helps.



The Light Sleepers in rehearsal with Laurie (second from left) last year



GET STUCK IN

Want to write a letter to the Editor?
E-mail: htnews@hackney.gov.uk

have your say

Recipes straight from the ovens at Hoxton Apprentice

www.hoxtonapprentice.com





SULEYMAN Kahraman, 27, graduated as apprentice of the year in 2006 and now works at the Hoxton Apprentice and also at Raymond Blanc's Diamond Suite, at the Emirates Stadium.
Suleyman came to the UK from Turkey in 2000 and found it hard to find permanent work due to difficulties with the language and a lack of qualifications. Before learning about the Hoxton Apprentice scheme, he had been unemployed for six months. He struggled at first with English, but really began to thrive when he entered the kitchen. He says: "Everyone was great, and would always answer any questions I had."
Suleyman has worked as a commis chef at Michelin-starred Locanda Locatelli, and as chef de partie at Gordon Ramsay's Maze Grill under Jason Atherton and at Raymond Blanc in the Emirates Stadium. He is a great role model to the current Hoxton Apprentices, and hopes to run his own kitchen by the time he is 30.

Lemon tart with ice cream

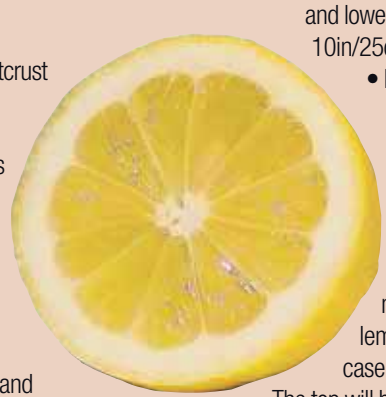
Serves 6

Preparation time
15 mins

Cooking time
25 mins

Ingredients

- 1 packet of frozen shortcrust pastry
- 140g of caster sugar
- Grated zest of 2 lemons
- Juice of 1 lemon
- 1 large egg
- 85g melted butter
- Vanilla ice cream



Method

- Allow pastry to defrost and soften, then roll out on floured board to about ¼ inch thick
- Preheat oven to 200C/400F/gas mark 6
- Pick up pastry by rolling onto pin, and lower into tart tin measuring about 10in/25cm
- Press pastry into corners of tin and neatly up against the sides
- Patch any tears or holes with pastry off-cuts
- Prick base in a few places, using fork
- Beat lemon zest with egg, melted butter, caster sugar and lemon juice. Pour into pastry case and bake for about 25 mins. The top will brown
- Remove from oven and allow to cool at room temperature
- Dust with icing sugar and serve with vanilla ice cream.

The Hoxton Apprentice is a social enterprise set up to train unemployed Hackney people – both in the kitchen and front of house.
Six-month apprenticeships prepare people for the workplace and give them the chance to gain a NVQ in hospitality.
Profits are returned to Training For Life, the charity which operates the restaurant, to deliver more training for unemployed people.

If you would like to offer an apprentice a job, or become an apprentice yourself, call Patrick Lyster-Todd on: 020 7749 2800.
For more info, visit: www.hoxtonapprentice.com

HOXTON apprentice

Gambling policy

THE Council wants to hear views from local people and other interested parties on its draft revised Gambling Policy.
The Council must publish a gambling policy at least once every three years. The draft policy is based on Government guidance, which sets out how the Council will deal with applications.

Anyone who wants to apply for licences for gambling premises such as betting shops or amusement arcades will have to adhere to the policy when preparing their applications.

The deadline for comments is 21 September. To view the policy and find out more visit: **www.hackney.gov.uk/gambling**
For info call Shalini Ramanathan on: **020 8356 4931**; or e-mail: **licensing@hackney.gov.uk**

Millfields views

RESULTS for the Millfields Park User survey are now in – thanks to everyone who had their say. There was an excellent response with 315 people giving their views.
The top three improvements suggested are public toilets, a cafe and improved play facilities that cater for different age groups of children.
Responses indicated a real scope for improving the physical aspects of the park with better seating, water feature and flower beds among some of the popular improvement suggestions. Read the full report online at: **www.consultationfinder.com/hackney**

The Council will hold public meetings to develop suggestions and to discuss design details with residents. For details call Bruce Irvin on : **020 8356 4958;** or e-mail: **bruce.irving@hackney.gov.uk**

Meetings



Hackney Today reader Alison Dale from E5 captured this double rainbow during a rainy walk with her dogs on July 23

TENANTS & RESIDENTS ASSOCIATION MEETINGS IN AUGUST

Regents Court	3
Welshpool House	4
Morland Blanchard Way and Gayhurst Road	12
Aspland & Marcon	17
Holmleigh Road Estate	19
Nisbet Road	25

TO CHECK TIMES & VENUES, PLEASE CALL THE RESIDENT PARTICIPATION TEAM ON: 020 8356 7845

COUNCIL MEETINGS

There are no Council meetings during August

ALL MEETINGS AT HACKNEY TOWN HALL, MARE STREET, E8.
INFO: 020 8356 3316/3302/3441
OR VISIT: WWW.HACKNEY.GOV.UK

Sudoku

For solutions see: www.hackney.gov.uk/hackneytoday

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The Mayor & Councillors

Councillors are elected by Hackney residents and serve for four years.

The last borough elections were in May 2006.

Councillors have a range of responsibilites, including helping to oversee the Council and its services. They all hold advice surgeries where you can meet your local representative and ask them to take up issues that may be of concern.

Generally they can help with Council related matters, but if the issue is the responsibility of another person or organisation, they can often point you in the right direction and tell you who you need to see.

Hackney has 57 councillors representing areas called wards – illustrated in the map opposite.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION DURING JULY & AUGUST

Some councillors do not hold surgeries during the school summer holidays. To check whether your councillor is holding a surgery during this period call: 020 8356 3373; or visit: www.hackney.gov.uk/surgeries

ADVICE SURGERY ON CRIME AND COMMUNITY SAFETY ISSUES
Cllr Nkafu, 5-6pm, 1st Monday each month, Hackney Town Hall, Mare St, E8.
To book an appointment call: 020 8356 3211

Hackney's wards in alphabetical order

1. Brownswood
2. Cazenove
3. Chatham
4. Clissold
5. Dalston
6. De Beauvoir
7. Hackney Central
8. Hackney Downs
9. Haggerston
10. Hoxton
11. Kings Park
12. Leabridge
13. Lordship
14. New River
15. Queensbridge
16. Springfield
17. Stoke Newington Central
18. Victoria
19. Wick



North East Neighbourhood Forum
Shoreditch Neighbourhood Committee
Stoke Newington Neighbourhood Forum
Homerton Neighbourhood Forum

The Mayor



Jules Pipe

Hackney has an executive Mayor, Jules Pipe, who is not a councillor, but is directly elected by the entire borough.The Mayor is the political leader of the Council, overseeing the budget and all Council services. Civic and ceremonial duties are undertaken by the Speaker of the Council who is elected annually from the borough's 57 councillors. Cllr Muttalip Unluer is the current Speaker.

1. BROWNSWOOD





Cllr Darren Parker
1st Fri each month, 9-10am, Robin Redmond Resource Centre, 440 Seven Sisters Rd, Woodberry Down Estate, N4.
Cllr Feryat Demirci
1st Sat each month, 11am-12noon, Amwell Court Community Hall, Green Lanes, N4.
Cllr Brian Bell
No surgery. To book an appointment with Cllr Bell, call Members' Support on: **020 8356 3373**.

2. CAZENOVE





Cllrs Joseph Stauber
1st Wed, 5-6pm, Simon Marks Jewish Primary School, 75 Cazenove Road, N16.
Cllr Ian Sharer
1st & 3rd Thurs, 10.30-11.30am, North London Muslim Community Centre, 68 Cazenove Rd, N16.
Cllr Dawood Akhoon
1st & 3rd Sat each month, 10am-12.30pm, NLMCC, 68 Cazenove Rd, N16.
2nd & 4th Sat each month, 10am-12.30pm, Stamford Hill Community Hall, N16. Cllr Akhoon can visit housebound constituents. To book an appointment call: **020 8806 1147.**

3. CHATHAM





Cllr Luke Akehurst,
2nd Fri each month, 6.30-7.30pm, Hackney Town Hall, Mare St, E8.
Cllr Guy Nicholson
3rd Friday each month, 6.30pm to 7.30pm Banister House Community Centre Banister House Estate, E9. No August surgeries.
Cllr Sally Mulready
Last Fri each month, 7-8pm, Hackney Town Hall, Mare St, E8.

Cllr Mulready can be contacted on: **07930 575 913,** and will undertake home visits to older people

4. CLISSOLD





Cllr Linda Smith
1st Mon each month, 7-8pm, Hawksley Ct Community Hall, N16.
Cllr Karen Alcock
2nd Fri each month, 6-7pm, Milton Gdns Community Hall, Milton Gdns Estate, N16.
Cllrs Alcock & Smith on a rota basis
3rd Mon each month, 7-8pm, Burma Court Community Hall, Burma Rd, N16.
4th Mon each month, 9.30-10.30am, Howard Rd Resource Centre, Howard Rd, N16.
Cllr Mischa Borris (no March surgeries)
2nd Tues each month, 6.30-7.30pm, Milton Gdns Community Hall, N16.
3rd Fri each month, 6.30-7.30pm, Frank Haley Community Rm, Burma Rd, N16.

5. DALSTON





Cllrs Sophie Linden, Nargis Khan & Angus Mulready-Jones (on a rota basis)
1st Thurs each month, 6.30-7.30pm, Evelyn Court, Amhurst Rd, E8.
2nd Sat each month, 12noon-1pm, Community Hall, Millard Close, Shellgrove Estate, N16.
3rd Fri each month, 6.30-7.30pm, CLR James Library, 24-30 Dalston Lane, E8.

6. DE BEAUVOIR





Cllrs Robert Chapman, Gulay Icoz & Christopher McShane
2nd Sat each month, 11am-12noon, Coleville Community Hall, 35 Branch St, N1.
3rd Sat each month, walkabout surgery in the afternoon.

E-mail these councillors at: **debeauvoir@hackney-labour.org.uk**
Alternatively, call Members' Services on: **020 8356 3373**.

7. HACKNEY CENTRAL





Cllrs Samantha Lloyd, Alan Laing & Vincent Stops (on a rota basis)
1st Sat each month, 10-11am, Pembury Senior Citizens Club, Hindrey Rd, E8.
2nd Sat each month, 11am-12noon, Wilton Community Hall, Greenwood Rd, E8.
4th Sat each month, 11am-12noon, Mountford Community Hall, Cecilia Rd, E8.

Cllr Laing is also available at the Town Hall. To book an appointment call: **020 8356 3373**.

8. HACKNEY DOWNS





Cllr Faizullah Khan
1st Sat each month, 11am-12noon, Gooch House, Kenninghall Rd, E5.
Cllr Michael Desmond
1st Sun each month, 11am-12noon, Nightingale Estate Office, 7 Olympus Sq, E5. Cllr Desmond is also available at the Town Hall, call: **020 8356 3373.**
Cllr Sem Moema
2nd Sun each month, 11am-12noon, Landfield Community Hall, Landfield Estate, Stellman Close, E5.
Last Sun each month, roving surgery. Also available at the Town Hall. Call: **020 8356 3373**.

9. HAGGERSTON





Cllrs Afolasade Bright
1st Thurs each month, 6.30-7.30pm, Haggerston Community Centre, Haggerston Rd, E8.
Barry Buitekant
2nd Mon each month, 6-7pm, St Mary's Community Centre, Kent Rd, E2.
3rd Thurs each month, 6-7.30pm, Goldsmith's Community Hall, Goldsmith Sq, E2.
Jonathan McShane
1st Mon each month, 7-8pm, Geffrye Community Hall, Falkirk Street, N1.
4th Sat every month, 11am-12noon, VLC Centre, Whiston Road, E2.

10. HOXTON





Cllr Clayeon McKenzie
2nd Tues each month, 6-7pm, The Bell Club, Bowling Green Walk, Pitfield St, N1.
Cllr Carole Williams
2nd Mon each month, 6.30-7.30pm, 16a Malcolm House, Arden Estate, N1.
Cllr Philip Glanville
3rd Wed each month, 6-7pm, Provost Community Hall, Murray Grove, N1.
3rd Sat of each month, 11am-12noon, The Bell Club, Bowling Green Walk, Pitfield St N1.
Cllr Glanville can also be contacted on: **07967 116 537.**

11. KINGS PARK





Cllr Sharon Patrick
1st Fri each month, 6.30-7.30pm, Hackney Marsh Partnership, Kingsmead Cabin, Kingsmead Way, E9.
Can visit disabled or housebound constituents, to book an appointment call: **020 8356 3373**.
Cllr Saleem Siddiqui
1st & 3rd Fri each month, 7-8pm, Vi Forrester Hall (behind the housing office), Gilpin Rd, E5.
Cllr Julius Nkafu
3rd Sat each month, 12noon-1pm, Kingsmead Tenants Hall, 5/6 Templemead House, Homerton Rd, E9.

12. LEABRIDGE





Cllrs Linda Kelly, Deniz Oguzkanli & Ian Rathbone
1st Sun each month, 11am-12noon, Tenants Association Hall, Beecholme Estate, Prout Rd, E5.
2nd Sat each month, 1-2pm, Wayside Community Centre, 24 Chatsworth Rd, E5.
4th Sat each month, 1-2pm, Community Hall, Mount Estate, Mount Pleasant Lane, E5.
4th Sat each month, 2-3pm,Community Flat, 10 Detmold Rd, Jack Watts Estate, E5.

These ward councillors can be contacted on: **07890 654 068**

13. LORDSHIP




Cllrs Bernard Aussenberg, Simon Tesler & Mathew Coggins (on a rota basis)
1st Sun each month, 11.30am-12.30pm, Peter Collins Memorial Hall, Holmleigh Rd Estate, N16.
3rd Sun each month, 2-3pm, Stoke Newington Library, Church Street, N16.

Cllr Coggins can be contacted on: **07794 419 301**.

14. NEW RIVER

Cllrs Maureen Middleton
1st Sun each month, 11.30am-12.30pm, TA Flat, 1 Wyersdale House, Woodberry Down Estate, N4.
4th Sun each month, 11.30am-12.30pm, Ben Simons Community Hall, 1-66 Lincoln Court, Bethune Rd, N16.
Cllr Middleton can be contacted on: **020 7249 9155** or **07930 575 912.**
Cllrs Harvey Odze & **Simche Steinberger** (on a rota basis)
2nd Mon each month, 4-5pm, Stamford Hill Library, Portland Ave, N16. Cllr Odze can be contacted on: **07790 902 513** or at: **harvey.odze@hackney.gov.uk**

15. QUEENSBRIDGE

Cllrs Thomas Price, Emma Plouviez & Patrick Vernon (on a rota basis)
1st Sat each month, 10-11am, Queensbridge Leisure Centre, 30 Holly St, E8.
3rd Sat each month, 10-11am, Regents Pensioners Hall, 30 Brougham Rd, E8.

You can e-mail these councillors direct. Alternatively, call Members' Services on: **020 8356 3373**.

16. SPRINGFIELD

Cllrs Jacob Landau, Shuja Shaikh & Michael Levy (on a rota basis)
1st and 3rd Sun each month, 11.30am-12.30pm at Webb Estate Community Hall, Clapton Common, E5.

17. STOKE NEWINGTON CENTRAL

Cllrs Rita Krishna, Muttalip Unluer & Louisa Thomson (on a rota basis)
1st, 2nd & 4th Sat each month, 10-11am, Yorkshire Grove Estate Community Hall, Gunstor Rd, (off Beatty Road) N16. Except Bank Holiday weekends.
2nd Sat of each month, 11am, Stoke Newington Central councillors will hold a ward walkabout after the main surgery.

Cllr Louisa Thomson can be contacted on: **07794 637 870**

18. VICTORIA

Cllr Daniel Kemp
1st Sat each month, 10.30-11.30am, Pitcairn Hall (entrance in Mare St), Pitcairn House, Frampton Park Estate, E9 (disabled access).
Cllr Katie Hanson
2nd Wed each month, 7-8pm, New Kingshold Community Centre, Primrose Sq, E9 (disabled access).
Cllr Geoff Taylor
3rd Wed each month, 2-3pm, Salvation Army Building, 70 Mare St, E8 (disabled access). Pls note Cllr Taylor's surgery will take place on 22 April over Easter.

19. WICK

Cllrs Jessica Webb, Christine Boyd & Christopher Kennedy (on a rota basis)
1st Sun each month, 12noon-1pm, Wick OAP Hall, Lavington Close, Trowbridge Estate, E9.
3rd Sun each month, 12noon-1pm, Vaine House, Gascoyne Estate, Cassland Road, E9.

Hackney Council is committed to improving services and increasing opportunities for all, and making a safer, cleaner, greener borough. Here we focus on a service that helps to make this possible:

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'WE PROTECT PUBLIC FUNDS'

Ade Obaye, Head of Housing Benefit Fraud

"MY education has nothing to do with the job I do," says Ade. And few would argue that there is a clear path from microbiology to fraud investigation.

However, her analysis skills more than put her in good stead. She joined the employment service in the mid-1990s and 'hasn't looked back' since crossing over to the benefits investigation team.

She says: "I'm responsible for the housing benefit counter fraud team – the prevention, detection and investigation of all allegations of housing benefit and Council Tax benefit fraud in Hackney.

"My role as head is strategic: the direction of the team, our targets, our policies and how we work with other departments.

"Our main purpose is to protect public funds. To put it crudely, the money paid out in benefits is all of our taxes. When we get people claiming benefit wrongly the payment is calculated and is clawed back to give back to Hackney residents.

"It's all about safeguarding public funds – to make it a better place for Hackney residents."

Battle against fraud

By **Marcel Reinard**



ALONG with its responsibility to manage claims for housing and Council Tax benefit, the Council also has a duty to prevent and detect all instances of benefit fraud.

In its battle against fraud, the team at Keltan House investigates allegations made by members of the public and businesses.

The team also uses data matching, which identifies financial inconsistencies, such as when multiple claims are made against the same name or address.



The Council takes a strong line in relation to fraud against the public purse, and if sufficient evidence of fraud is present to bring a prosecution, this is the favoured approach.

Alternatives to prosecution can also be taken – for example a caution or an administrative penalty may be dispensed, if this is considered to be in the public interest.



This flexibility, from a strict mandate, ensures cases are dealt with fairly and rationally according to the individual case, such as if the fraudsters held a position of trust; if the claim started as real and changed later; or if the person was co-operative when caught out.

However, regardless of the penalty, overpayment is always recovered.

MORE INFO

For info on Hackney's fraud sanction policy, visit: **www.hackney.gov.uk/f-audit-and-anti-fraud**; if you suspect someone is committing benefit fraud, contact the benefit counter fraud team on: **020 8356 2508** or e-mail: **benefitfraud@hackney.gov.uk**



OLYMPIC DELIVERY AUTHORITY
Planning Decisions Team

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR PLANNING PERMISSION UNDER ARTICLE 8 OF THE TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING (GENERAL DEVELOPMENT PROCEDURE) ORDER 1995 THE TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING ACT 1990 (AS AMENDED)

Date of notice: 3 August 2009

In accordance with the above act and related legislation, notice is hereby given that the application forms, plans and other documents submitted in relation to the proposal noted below may be examined at:

THE OLYMPIC DELIVERY AUTHORITY PLANNING RECEPTION,11 BURFORD ROAD, STRATFORD, LONDON, E15 2ST.

The reception is open from 09:00 – 17:00 Monday to Friday by appointment only telephone number **020 8430 6020**.

The above documents are also available to download from the Planning Register on the Planning Decisions Team website **www.london2012.com/planning**

Anyone who wishes to make comments about the application should write to the address below quoting the relevant Application Reference Number:

HEAD OF DEVELOPMENT CONTROL, PLANNING DECISIONS TEAM, OLYMPIC DELIVERY AUTHORITY, MAILPOINT 32B, 23RD FLOOR, 1 CHURCHILL PLACE, LONDON, E14 5LN.

Alternatively comments can be made by e-mail to: **planning.enquiries@pdt.oda.gov.uk**
Comments should be submitted within 21 days of the date of this notice and should be received by 24 August 2009.

Application Reference No: 09/90210/AODODA
Application Site: Land Within The Olympic Park Within Planning Delivery Zones 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 10 And 15
Description of Proposal: Partial discharge of condition OG.3 of ref 07/90010/OUMODA for the 48 transformers to be installed for Games time only (temporary transformers) and partial discharge of conditions OD.0.20 and OD.0.28 for the retaining walls and landscaping for transformers LO550 and LO551.
Applicant's name: Olympic Delivery Authority
Application Reference No: 09/90211/FULODA
Application Site: Land Within The Olympic Park Within Planning Delivery Zones 1, 3, 4 And 5
Description of Proposal: 4 permanent electrical transformers (referred to as: CD109, CD317, CD409 and CD535) and associated underground ducting.
Applicant's name: Olympic Delivery Authority
Application Reference No: 09/90212/FULODA
Application Site: Land Within The Olympic Park Within Planning Delivery Zones 2, 5 And 6.
Description of Proposal: 3 permanent transformers (CD203, CD549 and CD615) and one Ring Main Unit (RMU adjacent to CD 549) and associated underground ducting.
Applicant's name: Olympic Delivery Authority

Dated: 3 August 2009
Authorised by: Vivienne Ramsey
On Behalf of: Olympic Delivery Authority, Planning Decisions Team

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TRAFFIC

LONDON BOROUGH OF HACKNEY THE HACKNEY (PARKING PLACES) (AMENDMENT) (NO. 2) EXPERIMENTAL ORDER 2009 TRO 537

1. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Council of the London Borough of Hackney on 31st July 2009 made the above-mentioned Experimental Order under sections 9 and 10 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 as amended by the Local Government Act 1985 and the Traffic Management Act 2004.

2. The general effect of the Order will be to introduce a new parking voucher scheme called "Health and Social Care" vouchers. The vouchers will cost £24 for a pack of 10 and will allow the holder to park in the Borough's residents, shared use and permit holder bays for a maximum period of 3 hours. They will be available to organisations who demonstrate their role in providing essential health and social care in the community.

3. Where it appears necessary for certain purposes, the London Borough of Hackney or any person authorised by them may modify or suspend the Order or any provisions in it, while the Order is in force.

4. In due course, the London Borough of Hackney will be considering whether or not the provisions of the Order should be continued in force indefinitely. Within the period of six months from the coming into force of the Order, or if the Order is subsequently varied by another Order or modified, from the coming into force of that variation or modification (whichever is the latest), any person may object to the making of an Order to continue indefinitely those provisions, Any such objection should be made in writing, giving the grounds on which it is made to the address contained in paragraph 5 of this notice.

5. Copies of the Order, which comes into force on 10th August 2009 and may remain in force for up to 18 months, other relevant Orders and of other documents giving more detailed particulars of the Order, can be inspected during normal office hours on Mondays to Fridays inclusive, during the period within which objection can be made in accordance with paragraph 4 above. in the reception area, London Borough of Hackney, 263 Mare Street, London, E8 3HT. Further information may be obtained by contacting Helpdesk on 020 8356 2897.

6. If any person wishes to question the validity of the Order, or of any provision contained therein on the grounds that it not within the powers conferred by the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 or that any requirement of the Act or of any instrument under the Act has not been complied with, that person may, within six weeks of the date on which the Order is made, apply for the purpose to the High Court.

DATED THIS 3RD DAY OF AUGUST 2009
TOM MCCOURT, ASSISTANT DIRECTOR (PUBLIC REALM)
(THE OFFICER APPOINTED FOR THIS PURPOSE)

LONDON BOROUGH OF HACKNEY THE HACKNEY (PARKING PLACES) (AMENDMENT) (NO. 1) EXPERIMENTAL ORDER 2009 TRO 536

1. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Council of the London Borough of Hackney on 31st July 2009 made the above-mentioned Order under section 10(2) of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 as amended by the Local Government Act 1985 and the Traffic Management Act 2004.

2. The general effect of the Order in relation to the Council's experimental "Essential Community Service" permit scheme would be to:-

(a) change the name of the scheme to the "Health and Social Care" permit scheme;

(b) amend the current charges for the permits in line with the Council's environmental policies as set out in the schedule to this notice.

3. Where it appears necessary for certain purposes, the London Borough of Hackney or any person authorised by them may modify or suspend the Order or any provisions in it, while the Order is in force.

4. In due course, the London Borough of Hackney will be considering whether or not the provisions of the Order should be continued in force indefinitely. Within the period of six months from the coming into force of the Order, or if the Order is subsequently varied by another Order or modified, from the coming into force of that variation or modification (whichever is the latest), any person may object to the making of an Order to continue indefinitely those provisions. Any such objection should be made in writing, giving the grounds on which it is made to the address contained in paragraph 6 of this notice.

5. Copies of the Order, which comes into force on 10th August 2009 and may remain in force for up to 18 months, other relevant Orders and of other documents giving more detailed particulars of the Order, can be inspected during normal office hours on Mondays to Fridays inclusive, during the period within which objection can be made in accordance with paragraph 5 above. in the reception area, London Borough of Hackney, 263 Mare Street, London, E8 3HT. Further information may be obtained by contacting Helpdesk on 020 8356 2897.

6. If any person wishes to question the validity of the Order, or of any provision contained therein on the grounds that it not within the powers conferred by the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 or that any requirement of the Act or of any instrument under the Act has not been complied with, that person may, within six weeks of the date on which the Order is made, apply for the purpose to the High Court.

DATED THIS 3RD DAY OF AUGUST 2009
TOM MCCOURT, ASSISTANT DIRECTOR (PUBLIC REALM)
(THE OFFICER APPOINTED FOR THIS PURPOSE)

SCHEDULE

Pricing Band	Engine Size (cc)	Price (£)
Greenest vehicles	N/A – must run solely on an alternative fuel	0
Greener fuel or small engine	Under 1200 or run partly on alternative fuel	60
Normal	1200 to 2000	120
Large	2001 to 3000	180
Very large	3001 to 4000	240
Extremely large	4001 plus	300

LONDON BOROUGH OF HACKNEY THE HACKNEY (PARKING PLACES) (ALL ZONES) (AMENDMENT NO. *) ORDER 200* THE HACKNEY (DISABLED PERSON PARKING PLACES) (AMENDMENT NO. *) ORDER 200* TRO 535

1. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Council of the London Borough of Hackney proposes to make the above-mentioned Orders under sections 6, 45, 46, 49 and 124 of and Part IV of Schedule 9 to the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 as amended by the Local Government Act 1985 and the Traffic Management Act 2004.

2. The general effect of the Orders would be to amend the operational details of the Council's companion badge scheme so that:-

(a) companion badge holders would no longer be allowed to park in the Borough's 'permit holders only' parking places;

(b) companion badge holders would be able to park in without time restriction and without displaying their blue badge clock in the disabled persons parking places within their home controlled parking zone in which they are resident.

3. Copies of the proposed Orders, other relevant Orders and of other documents giving more detailed particulars of the Orders, can be inspected during normal office hours on Mondays to Fridays inclusive until the end of a period 6 weeks from the date on which the Orders are made or the Council decides not to make the Orders, in the reception area, London Borough of Hackney, 263 Mare Street, London, E8 3HT. Further information may be obtained by contacting Helpdesk on 020 8356 2897.

4. Any objections or other representations about either of the proposed Orders should be sent in writing to the Assistant Director (Public Realm) at the address specified in paragraph 3 above until the expiration of a period of 21 days from the date on which this Notice is published. All objections must specify the grounds on which they are made.

DATED THIS 3RD DAY OF AUGUST 2009
TOM MCCOURT, ASSISTANT DIRECTOR (PUBLIC REALM)
(THE OFFICER APPOINTED FOR THIS PURPOSE)

LONDON BOROUGH OF HACKNEY THE HACKNEY (WAITING AND LOADING RESTRICTIONS) (AMENDMENT NO.) ORDER 200* TRO 534

1. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Council of the London Borough of Hackney proposes to make the above-mentioned Order under sections 6 and 124 of and Part IV of Schedule 9 to the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 as amended by the Local Government Act 1985 and the Traffic Management Act 2004.

2. The general effect of the Order would be to:

(a) introduce waiting restrictions operating "at any time" into sections of Belsham Street, Chatham Place, Connor Street, Dunsmure Road, Lauriston Road, Mackintosh Lane, Sedgewick Street and St Andrew's Mews.

(b) introduce waiting restrictions operating between 8am and 6.30pm on Mondays to Fridays inclusive and between 8am and 1.20pm on Saturdays into a section of Charnock Road;

(c) amend the Council's Traffic Order in relation to existing waiting restrictions in Homleigh Road so that it exactly matches the current locations of the waiting restrictions (this would mean that the current locations and hours of operation would not change).

3. Copies of the Order, other relevant Orders and of other documents giving more detailed particulars of the Order, can be inspected during normal office hours on Mondays to Fridays inclusive until the end of a period 6 weeks from the date on which the Order is made or the Council decides not to make the Order, in the reception area, London Borough of Hackney, 263 Mare Street, London, E8 3HT. Further information may be obtained by contacting Helpdesk on 020 8356 2897.

4. Any objections or other representations about the proposed Order should be sent in writing to the Assistant Director (Public Realm) at the address specified in paragraph 3 above until the expiration of a period of 21 days from the date on which this Notice is published. All objections must specify the grounds on which they are made.

DATED THIS 3RD DAY OF AUGUST 2009
TOM MCCOURT, ASSISTANT DIRECTOR (PUBLIC REALM)
(THE OFFICER APPOINTED FOR THIS PURPOSE)

LONDON BOROUGH OF HACKNEY THE HACKNEY (PARKING PLACES) (ZONE E) (AMENDMENT NO.*) ORDER 200* THE HACKNEY (PARKING PLACES) (G ZONE) (AMENDMENT NO.*) ORDER 200* THE HACKNEY (PARKING PLACES) (ZONE J) (AMENDMENT NO.*) ORDER 200* THE HACKNEY (PARKING PLACES) (M ZONE) (AMENDMENT NO.*) ORDER 200* THE HACKNEY (PARKING PLACES) (ZONE N) (AMENDMENT NO.*) ORDER 200* THE HACKNEY (DISABLED PERSON PARKING PLACES) (AMENDMENT NO. *) ORDER 200* THE HACKNEY (DOCTORS PARKING PLACES) (AMENDMENT NO.*) ORDER 200* THE HACKNEY (WAITING AND LOADING RESTRICTIONS) (AMENDMENT NO.*) ORDER 200* THE HACKNEY (LOADING BAY) (AMENDMENT NO.*) ORDER 200* TRO 532

1. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Council of the London Borough of Hackney propose to make the above-mentioned Orders under sections 6, 45, 46, 49 and 124 of and Part IV of Schedule 9 to the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 as amended by the Local Government Act 1985.

2. The general effect of the Orders would be to:-

(a) Zone E –Barrett's Grove

i. replace an existing section of waiting restrictions operating "at any time" outside No. 91 Barrett's Grove with a shared use bay;

ii. replace an existing shared use bay outside Nos. 89-91 Barrett's Grove with waiting restrictions operating "any time".

(b) Zone G – Allerton Road

i. replace an existing section of single yellow line outside No. 20 Allerton Road with a resident parking bay.

(c) Zone J – Dunston Street and Triangle Road

i. replace a section of existing waiting restrictions operating "at any time" with a loading bay operating "any time" opposite No.1a Dunston Street.

ii. replace a section of existing waiting restrictions operating "at any time" with a permit bay outside No. 1a Dunston Street;

iii. replace an existing shared use bay with a waiting restrictions operating " at any time" opposite Ann Taylor Centre.

(d) Zone M – Stoke Newington Church Street

i. extend an existing resident parking bay by 5 metres eastwards replacing existing waiting restrictions operating "at any time" opposite Nos. 217-223 Stoke Newington Church Street.

ii. extend an existing business parking bay 2.5 metres westwards alongside No. 205 Stoke Newington Church Street and 2.5 metres eastwards replacing existing waiting restrictions operating "at any time"

(e) Zone N

i. introduce loading restrictions operating "at any time" on the eastern side of Churchill Walk at its junction with Waterloo Close;

ii. amend the Council's Traffic Orders in relation to certain existing parking places and waiting restrictions within "N" Zone so that they exactly match the current location of the parking places and restrictions (this would mean that the current locations and operation of the parking places and restrictions would not change).

3. Copies of the Orders, other relevant Orders and other documents giving more detailed particulars of the Orders, can be inspected during normal office hours on Mondays to Fridays inclusive until the end of a period 6 weeks from the date on which the Orders are made or the Council decides not to make the Orders, in the reception area, London Borough of Hackney, 263 Mare Street, London, E8 3HT.Further information may be obtained by contacting Helpdesk on 020 8356 2897.

4. Any objections or other representations about any of the proposed Orders should be sent in writing to the Assistant Director (Public Realm) at the address specified in paragraph 3 above until the expiration of a period of 21 days from the date on which this Notice is published. All objections must specify the grounds on which they are made.

DATED THIS 3RD DAY OF AUGUST 2009
TOM MCCOURT, ASSISTANT DIRECTOR (PUBLIC REALM)
(THE OFFICER APPOINTED FOR THIS PURPOSE)

LONDON BOROUGH OF HACKNEY THE HACKNEY (DISABLED PERSON PARKING PLACES) (AMENDMENT NO *) ORDER 200* TRO 531

1. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Council of the London Borough of Hackney propose to make the above-mentioned Order under sections 6, and 124 of and Part IV of Schedule 9 to the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 as amended by the Local Government Act 1985 and the Traffic Management Act 2004.

2. The general effect of the Order would be to remove existing disabled bays from outside of No. 124 Fletching Road, No. 24 Sewdley Street and No. 58 Southborough Road.

3. Copies of the Order, other relevant Orders, and of other documents giving more detailed particulars of the Order, can be inspected during normal office hours on Mondays to Fridays inclusive until the end of a period 6 weeks from the date on which the Order is made or the Council decides not to make the Order, in the reception area, London Borough of Hackney, 263 Mare Street, London, E8 3HT. Further information may be obtained by contacting Helpdesk on 020 8356 2897.

4. Any objections or other representations about the proposed Order should be sent in writing to the Assistant Director (Public Realm) at the address specified in paragraph 3 above until the expiration of a period of 21 days from the date on which this Notice is published. All objections must specify the grounds on which they are made.

DATED THIS 3RD DAY OF AUGUST 2009
TOM MCCOURT, ASSISTANT DIRECTOR (PUBLIC REALM)
(THE OFFICER APPOINTED FOR THIS PURPOSE)

LONDON BOROUGH OF HACKNEY THE HACKNEY (DISABLED PARKING PLACES) (AMENDMENT NO. 13) ORDER 2009 THE HACKNEY (DOCTORS PARKING PLACES) (AMENDMENT NO. 4) ORDER 2009 THE HACKNEY (PARKING PLACES) (ZONE J) (AMENDMENT NO. 5) ORDER 2009 THE HACKNEY (WAITING AND LOADING RESTRICTIONS) (AMENDMENT NO. 40) ORDER 2009 TRO 522

1. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on 31st July 3009 the Council of the London Borough of Hackney made the above-mentioned Orders under sections 6 and 124 of and Part IV of Schedule 9 to the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 as amended by the Local Government Act 1985 and the Traffic Management Act 2004.

2. The general effect of the Orders will be to:

(a) replace a section of the existing echelon "shared use" bay with a disabled parking bay outside No. 376 / 378 Kingsland Road

(b) amend the Council's Traffic Order in relation to existing "shared use" bays in a certain section of Kingsland Road so that it exactly matches the current location of the restrictions (this would mean that the current location and operation of the restrictions would not change).

(a) remove existing doctors parking bays outside and opposite 414 / 416 Kingsland Road and replace them with shared use parking bays;

(b) amend existing waiting restrictions to accommodate the above changes.

(c) amend the Council's Traffic Order in relation to existing waiting restrictions operating "at any time" in a certain section of Kingsland Road so that it exactly matches the current location of the restrictions (this would mean that the current location and operation of the restrictions would not change).

3. Copies of the Orders, which will come into force on 5th August 2009, other relevant Orders, and other documents giving more detailed particulars of the Orders, can be inspected during normal office hours on Mondays to Fridays inclusive, until the expiration of a period of six weeks from the date on which the Orders are made, in the reception area, London Borough of Hackney, 263 Mare Street, London, E8 3HT. Further information may be obtained by contacting Helpdesk on 020 8356 2897.

4. If any person wishes to question the validity of any of the Orders, or of any provision contained therein on the grounds that it not within the powers conferred by the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 or that any requirement of the Act or of any instrument under the Act has not been complied with, that person may, within six weeks of the date on which the Orders are made, apply for the purpose to the High Court.

DATED THIS 3RD DAY OF AUGUST 2009
TOM MCCOURT, ASSISTANT DIRECTOR (PUBLIC REALM)
(THE OFFICER APPOINTED FOR THIS PURPOSE)

LONDON BOROUGH OF HACKNEY THE HACKNEY (PARKING PLACES) (ZONE C) (AMENDMENT NO. 4) ORDER 2009 THE HACKNEY (WAITING AND LOADING RESTRICTIONS) (AMENDMENT NO. 38) ORDER 2009 TRO 521

1. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on 31st July 2009 the Council of the London Borough of Hackney made the above-mentioned Orders under sections 6 and 124 of and Part IV of Schedule 9 to the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 as amended by the Local Government Act 1985 and the Traffic Management Act 2004.

2. The general effect of the Orders will be to reduce the existing length of the permit holders bay opposite No.2 Salcombe Road and replace it with waiting restrictions operating "At any time".

3. Copies of the Orders, which will come into force on 5th August 2009, other relevant Orders, and other documents giving more detailed particulars of the Orders, can be inspected during normal office hours on Mondays to Fridays inclusive, until the expiration of a period of six weeks from the date on which the Orders are made, in the reception area, London Borough of Hackney, 263 Mare Street, London, E8 3HT. Further information may be obtained by contacting Helpdesk on 020 8356 2897.

4. If any person wishes to question the validity of any of the Orders, or of any provision contained therein on the grounds that it not within the powers conferred by the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 or that any requirement of the Act or of any instrument under the Act has not been complied with, that person may, within six weeks of the date on which the Orders are made, apply for the purpose to the High Court.

DATED THIS 3RD DAY OF AUGUST 2009
TOM MCCOURT, ASSISTANT DIRECTOR (PUBLIC REALM)
(THE OFFICER APPOINTED FOR THIS PURPOSE)

LONDON BOROUGH OF HACKNEY THE HACKNEY (PARKING PLACES) (G ZONE) (AMENDMENT NO. 4) ORDER 2009 THE HACKNEY (WAITING AND LOADING RESTRICTIONS) (AMENDMENT NO. 39) ORDER 2009 THE HACKNEY (PARKING PLACES) (MATCHDAY) (AMENDMENT NO.2) ORDER 2009 TRO 520 AND TRO 523

1. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on 31st July 2009 the Council of the London Borough of Hackney made the above-mentioned Orders under sections 6 and 124 of and Part IV of Schedule 9 to the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 as amended by the Local Government Act 1985 and the Traffic Management Act 2004.

2. The general effect of the Orders will be to;

(a) replace an existing section of waiting restrictions operating "At any time" outside No.67 Queen Elizabeth Walk with a residents permit bay;

(b) replace an existing section of resident permit bay opposite Nos. 44 – 54 Woodberry Grove with waiting restrictions operating "At any time".

3. Copies of the Orders, which will come into force on 5th August 2009, other relevant Orders, and other documents giving more detailed particulars of the Orders, can be inspected during normal office hours on Mondays to Fridays inclusive, until the expiration of a period of six weeks from the date on which the Orders are made, in the reception area, London Borough of Hackney, 263 Mare Street, London, E8 3HT. Further information may be obtained by contacting Helpdesk on 020 8356 2897.

4. If any person wishes to question the validity of any of the Orders, or of any provision contained therein on the grounds that it not within the powers conferred by the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 or that any requirement of the Act or of any instrument under the Act has not been complied with, that person may, within six weeks of the date on which the Orders are made, apply for the purpose to the High Court.

DATED THIS 3RD DAY OF AUGUST 2009
TOM MCCOURT, ASSISTANT DIRECTOR (PUBLIC REALM)
(THE OFFICER APPOINTED FOR THIS PURPOSE)

THE LONDON BOROUGH OF HACKNEY TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING ACT 1990 STOPPING UP OF HIGHWAYS ORDER 2009 – OLYMPIC PARK: WATERDEN ROAD AND THE FOOTPATH/CYCLEWAY AT TEMPLE MILLS SUO NO.12

1. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on 31st July 2009 the Council of the London Borough of Hackney made the above mentioned Order under section 247 of the Town and Country Planning Act 1990, as amended.

2. The general effect of the Order will be to authorise the stopping up of those sections of land as detailed in Schedule 1 to this notice, to enable the development authorised under the planning permission granted by the Council under reference 2005/2681 under part III of the above Act to be carried out. The term "stopping up" means that this area of land would cease to be public highway.

3. The stopping up is authorised only to enable the development described in Schedule 2 to this notice.

4. Copies of the Order, which comes into force on 3rd August 2009 and of other documents giving more detailed particulars of the Order, can be inspected free of charge during normal office hours on Mondays to Fridays inclusive, in the reception area, London Borough of Hackney, 263 Mare Street, London, E8 3HT, or on line at http://www.hackney.gov.uk. Further information may be obtained by contacting Helpdesk on 020 8356 2897.

5. If any person wishes to question the validity of the Order, or of any provision contained therein on the grounds that it not within the powers conferred by Section 247 of the Town and Country Planning Act 1990 or that any requirement of the Act or of any instrument under the Act has not been complied with, that person may, within six weeks of the date on which the Order is made, apply for the purpose to the High Court.

DATED THIS 3RD DAY OF AUGUST 2009.
STEVE DOUGLAS, INTERIM CORPORATE DIRECTOR (NEIGHBOURHOODS AND REGENERATION)
(THE OFFICER APPOINTED FOR THIS PURPOSE)

SCHEDULE 1 – AREA OF PUBLIC HIGHWAY TO BE STOPPED UP

The whole length of Waterden Road. The whole length of the footpath/cycleway at Temple Mills.

(These areas are more particularly delineated and shown on the deposited plan at the address shown in paragraph 4).

SCHEDULE 2 – APPROVED DEVELOPMENT

"Planning Development Zone 5"

1. Bulk earthworks to formation levels (including reinforced soil slopes and batters); associated remediation of land (including stockpiling of materials for the period of construction works); demolition of existing residential buildings;

2. Repair of the river walls and river banks of the River Lea Navigation (Hackney Cut), naturalisation of the river banks of the River Lea, and the creation of a wetland basin;

3. Construction of a utilities trench and the laying of service conduits; the laying of the surface water conduits and a foul water tunnel; diversion of existing services and service protection works;

4. Construction of the Olympic Loop Road (including internal roads, junction realignment, and the laying down of any hard-standing for car parking and pick up and set-down areas).

TTRO / P300B WORSHIP STREET EC2 TEMPORARY PROHIBITION OF DRIVING ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984 – SECTION 14(1) AS AMENDED BY THE ROAD TRAFFIC (TEMPORARY RESTRICTIONS) ACT 1991 AND THE TRAFFIC MANAGEMENT ACT 2004

The Council of London Borough of Hackney HEREBY GIVES NOTICE that due to planned CABLE INSTALLATION WORKS within WORSHIP STREET EC2 they have made an order. The general effect of which will be only at such times and to such extent as regulatory traffic signs are displayed to: -

1. Prohibition of driving

Worship Street	From its junction with Norton Folgate in a westerly direction for a distance of 50 metres

2. Prohibition of entry except for access

Worship Street	From its junction with Appold Street in an easterly direction to a point 50 metres west of Norton Folgate

3. Prohibition of Cycle Lane

Worship Street	From its junction with Norton Folgate in a westerly direction along its entire length

4. The restriction will not apply to vehicles being used in connection with the said works or used for fire brigade, ambulance, or purposes in an emergency and anything done with the permission or at the discretion of a Police Constable in uniform.

5. The restrictions referred to in paragraphs (1) and (2) above will not apply so as to prevent vehicles gaining ingress to, or egress from the premises on or adjacent to the closed length of road in so far as such ingress or egress is reasonably practicable without undue interference with the execution of the said works.

6. The Order will operate on and between the following dates and times or until the work has been completed whichever is sooner

DATE	TIME	DATE	TIME
8 Aug 2009	0800 hrs	9 Aug 2009	1600 hrs
15 Aug 2009	0800 hrs	16 Aug 2009	1600 hrs
22 Aug 2009	0800 hrs	23 Aug 2009	1600 hrs

7. Further information about this notice may be obtained by contacting the helpline on: 0208 356 2897

DATED THIS 3RD DAY OF AUGUST 2009
TOM MCCOURT, ASSISTANT DIRECTOR (PUBLIC REALM)
(THE OFFICER APPOINTED FOR THIS PURPOSE)

TTRO / P305A WEST BANK N16 TEMPORARY PROHIBITION OF DRIVING ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984 – SECTION 14(1) AS AMENDED BY THE ROAD TRAFFIC (TEMPORARY RESTRICTIONS) ACT 1991 AND THE TRAFFIC MANAGEMENT ACT 2004

The Council of London Borough of Hackney HEREBY GIVES NOTICE that due to planned CARRIAGEWAY RESURFACING WORKS within WEST BANK N16 they intend to make an order. The general effect of which will be only at such times and to such extent as regulatory traffic signs are displayed to: -

1. Prohibition of driving

West Bank	From its junction with Amhurst Road in a south westerly direction for a distance of 20 metres

2. Prohibition of entry except for access

West Bank	From its junction with Dunsmure Road in a general north easterly direction to a point 20 metres south west of its junction with Amhurst Road

3. Prohibition of waiting loading and unloading at any time

West Bank both sides	From its junction with Amhurst Road in a south westerly direction for a distance of 20 metres

4. The restriction will not apply to vehicles being used in connection with the said works or used for fire brigade, ambulance, or purposes in an emergency and anything done with the permission or at the discretion of a Police Constable in uniform.

5. The restrictions referred to in paragraphs (1) to (3) above will not apply so as to prevent vehicles gaining ingress to, or egress from the premises on or adjacent to the closed length of road in so far as such ingress or egress is reasonably practicable without undue interference with the execution of the said works.

6. The restrictions referred to in paragraph (3) above may require vehicles to be removed at the discretion of either the engineer on site or a Police Constable in uniform

7. The Order will operate on and between the following dates and times or until the work has been completed whichever is sooner

DATE	TIME	DATE	TIME
24 Aug 2009	0830 hrs	28 Aug 2009	1700 hrs

8. Further information about this notice may be obtained by contacting the helpline on: 0208 356 2897

DATED THIS 3RD DAY OF AUGUST 2009
TOM MCCOURT, ASSISTANT DIRECTOR (PUBLIC REALM)
(THE OFFICER APPOINTED FOR THIS PURPOSE)

TTRO / P304B REDCHURCH STREET E2 TEMPORARY PROHIBITION OF DRIVING ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984 – SECTION 14(1) AS AMENDED BY THE ROAD TRAFFIC (TEMPORARY RESTRICTIONS) ACT 1991 AND THE TRAFFIC MANAGEMENT ACT 2004

The Council of London Borough of Hackney HEREBY GIVES NOTICE that due to planned CRANE OPERATIONAL WORKS within REDCHURCH STREET E2 they have made an order. The general effect of which will be only at such times and to such extent as regulatory traffic signs are displayed to: -

1. Prohibition of driving

Redchurch Street	From its junction with Boundary Street to its junction with Ebor Street

2. Prohibition of pedestrians

Redchurch Street south side	From its junction with Boundary Street to a point 10 metres west of Ebor Street

3. Prohibition of waiting loading and unloading Sat 7am – 6pm

Redchurch Street south side	From its junction with Boundary Street to its junction with Ebor Street

4. The restriction will not apply to vehicles being used in connection with the said works or used for fire brigade, ambulance, or purposes in an emergency and anything done with the permission or at the discretion of a Police Constable in uniform.

5. The restrictions referred to in paragraphs (1) and (2) above will not apply so as to prevent vehicles gaining ingress to, or egress from the premises on or adjacent to the closed length of road in so far as such ingress or egress is reasonably practicable without undue interference with the execution of the said works.

6. The Order will operate on and between the following dates and times or until the work has been completed whichever is sooner

DATE	TIME	DATE	TIME
8 Aug 2009	0700 hrs	8 Aug 2009	1800 hrs
15 Aug 2009	0700 hrs	15 Aug 2009	1800 hrs
22 Aug 2009	0700 hrs	22 Aug 2009	1800 hrs

7. Further information about this notice may be obtained by contacting the helpline on 0208 356 2897

DATED THIS 3RD DAY OF AUGUST 2009
TOM MCCOURT, ASSISTANT DIRECTOR (PUBLIC REALM)
(THE OFFICER APPOINTED FOR THIS PURPOSE)

TTRO / E51A LIDFIELD ROAD N16 TEMPORARY PROHIBITION OF TRAFFIC ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION (SPECIAL EVENTS) ACT 1984 – SECTION 16(A)

The Council of the London Borough of Hackney in exercise of powers conferred by Section 16 (A) of the Road Traffic Regulation (Special Events) Act 1994 herby propose to make the following order

This order may be cited as

1. London Borough of Hackney (Temporary Prohibition and Restriction of Traffic) (Special Event) (HACKNEY "LIDFIELD ROAD RESIDENTIAL" EVENT 2009).

2. The order is required to

Enable the Promotion of a Street Party

3. The Order will operate on and between the following dates and times or until the event has finished whichever is sooner

DATE	TIME	DATE	TIME
6 Sept 2009	0800 hrs	6 Sept 2009	2000 hrs

4. During the period stated in Article 3 of this order no person shall cause or permit any

a Vehicle to enter or proceed in any streets or parts of the street that are defined in schedule 1 to this order

b Vehicle to Wait or load in any of the streets or parts of street that are defined in schedule 1 to this order

5. Nothing in Article 4 of this Order shall apply to

a Vehicles being used in connection with the said HACKNEY "LIDFIELD ROAD RESIDENTIAL" EVENT 2009 or used for used in connection with the said works, or any vehicle being used for ambulance, fire brigade or police purposes in an emergency or for the purpose of a statutory undertaker in an emergency

b Anything done with the permission or at the discretion of a Police Officer in uniform

6. The prohibition or restriction specified in article 4 above shall apply only during such times and to such an extent as indicated by traffic signs of the size, type and colour shown in the traffic Signs Regulations and General Directions 2002

7. The restrictions referred to in Schedule 1 below may require vehicles to be removed at the discretion of either the engineer on site or a Police Constable in uniform

DATED THIS 3RD DAY OF AUGUST 2009
TOM MCCOURT, ASSISTANT DIRECTOR (PUBLIC REALM)
(THE OFFICER APPOINTED FOR THIS PURPOSE)

Schedule 1 (see Article 4)

No access to vehicles

Street	Length of Street
Haggerston Road	From its junction of Scriven Street along its entire length to its junction with Denne Terrace

TTRO / P299B HANDLEY ROAD E9 TEMPORARY PROHIBITION OF DRIVING ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984 – SECTION 14(1) AS AMENDED BY THE ROAD TRAFFIC (TEMPORARY RESTRICTIONS) ACT 1991 AND THE TRAFFIC MANAGEMENT ACT 2004

The Council of London Borough of Hackney HEREBY GIVES NOTICE that due to planned EDF GAS VALVE MAINTENANCE within HANDLEY ROAD E9 they have made an order. The general effect of which will be only at such times and to such extent as regulatory traffic signs are displayed to: -

1. Prohibition of driving

Handley Road	From its junction with Victoria Park Road for a distance of 10 metres north west of that junction

2. The restriction will not apply to vehicles being used in connection with the said works or used for fire brigade,

ambulance, or purposes in an emergency and anything done with the permission or at the discretion of a Police Constable in uniform.

3. The restrictions referred to in paragraphs (1) above will not apply so as to prevent vehicles gaining ingress to, or egress from the premises on or adjacent to the closed length of road in so far as such ingress or egress is reasonably practicable without undue interference with the execution of the said works.

4. The Order will operate on and between the following dates and times or until the work has been completed whichever is sooner

DATE	TIME	DATE	TIME
10 Aug 2009	0800 hrs	11 Sept 2009	1930 hrs

5. Further information about this notice may be obtained by contacting the helpline on 0208 356 2897

DATED THIS 3RD DAY OF AUGUST 2009
TOM MCCOURT, ASSISTANT DIRECTOR (PUBLIC REALM)
(THE OFFICER APPOINTED FOR THIS PURPOSE)

TTRO / P301B GOLDSMITH'S ROW E2 TEMPORARY PROHIBITION OF DRIVING & PROHIBITION OF PEDESTRIANS ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984 – SECTION 14(1) AS AMENDED BY THE ROAD TRAFFIC (TEMPORARY RESTRICTIONS) ACT 1991 AND THE TRAFFIC MANAGEMENT ACT 2004

The Council of London Borough of Hackney HEREBY GIVES NOTICE that due to planned THAMES WATER WORKS within GOLDSMITH'S ROW E2 they have made an order. The general effect of which will be only at such times and to such extent as regulatory traffic signs are displayed to: -

1. Prohibition of driving

Goldsmith's Row	From its junction with Whiston Road in a south west direction for a distance of 56 metres (property boundary of No 147 and 149)

2. Prohibition of pedestrians

Goldsmith's Row North west side	From its junction with Whiston Road in a south west direction for a distance of 56 metres (property boundary of No 147 and 149)

3. Prohibition of waiting loading and unloading at any time

Goldsmith's Row both sides	From its junction with Whiston Road in a south west direction for a distance of 56 metres (property boundary of No 147 and 149)

4. The diversion route for the footpath will be along the opposite side

5. The restriction will not apply to vehicles being used in connection with the said works or used for fire brigade, ambulance, or purposes in an emergency and anything done with the permission or at the discretion of a Police Constable in uniform.

6. The restrictions referred to in paragraphs (1) and (2) above will not apply so as to prevent vehicles gaining ingress to, or egress from the premises on or adjacent to the closed length of road in so far as such ingress or egress is reasonably practicable without undue interference with the execution of the said works.

7. The restrictions referred to in paragraph (6) above may require vehicles to be removed at the discretion of either the engineer on site or a Police Constable in uniform

8. The restrictions contained in the Controlled Parking Zone order (Zone F) will automatically be revoked where if restrictions outlined in paragraph (4) apply

9. The Order will operate on and between the following dates and times or until the work has been completed whichever is sooner

DATE	TIME	DATE	TIME
3 Aug 2009	0800 hrs	7 Aug 2009	1700 hrs

10. Further information about this notice may be obtained by contacting the helpline on 0208 356 2897

DATED THIS 3RD DAY OF AUGUST 2009
TOM MCCOURT, ASSISTANT DIRECTOR (PUBLIC REALM)
(THE OFFICER APPOINTED FOR THIS PURPOSE)

TTRO / P303B FRAMPTON PARK ROAD E8 TEMPORARY PROHIBITION OF DRIVING ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984 – SECTION 14(1) AS AMENDED BY THE ROAD TRAFFIC (TEMPORARY RESTRICTIONS) ACT 1991 AND THE TRAFFIC MANAGEMENT ACT 2004

The Council of London Borough of Hackney HEREBY GIVES NOTICE that due to planned CRANE OPERATIONAL WORKS within FRAMPTON PARK ROAD E8 they have made an order. The general effect of which will be only at such times and to such extent as regulatory traffic signs are displayed to: -

1. Prohibition of driving

Frampton Park Road	From its junction with Loddiges Road in a south easterly direction for a distance of 25 metres (building line boundary)

2. Prohibition of waiting loading and unloading at any time

Frampton Park Road both sides	From its junction with Loddiges Road in a south easterly direction for a distance of 25 metres (building line boundary)

3. The diversion route for the footpath will be along the opposite side

4. The restriction will not apply to vehicles being used in connection with the said works or used for fire brigade, ambulance, or purposes in an emergency and anything done with the permission or at the discretion of a Police Constable in uniform.

5. The restrictions referred to in paragraphs (1) and (2) above will not apply so as to prevent vehicles gaining ingress to, or egress from the premises on or adjacent to the closed length of road in so far as such ingress or egress is reasonably practicable without undue interference with the execution of the said works.

6. The restrictions referred to in paragraph (2) above may require vehicles to be removed at the discretion of either the engineer on site or a Police Constable in uniform

7. The Order will operate on and between the following dates and times or until the work has been completed whichever is sooner

DATE	TIME	DATE	TIME
8 Aug 2009	0600 hrs	8 Aug 2009	1800 hrs
15 Aug 2009	0600 hrs	15 Aug 2009	1800 hrs
22 Aug 2009	0600 hrs	22 Aug 2009	1800 hrs

8. Further information about this notice may be obtained by contacting the helpline on: 0208 356 2897

DATED THIS 3RD DAY OF AUGUST 2009
TOM MCCOURT, ASSISTANT DIRECTOR (PUBLIC REALM)
(THE OFFICER APPOINTED FOR THIS PURPOSE)

TTRO / P302B CORONET STREET N1 TEMPORARY PROHIBITION OF DRIVING ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984 – SECTION 14(1) AS AMENDED BY THE ROAD TRAFFIC (TEMPORARY RESTRICTIONS) ACT 1991 AND THE TRAFFIC MANAGEMENT ACT 2004

The Council of London Borough of Hackney HEREBY GIVES NOTICE that due to planned BT DUCT INSTALLATION WORKS within CORONET STREET N1 they have made an order. The general effect of which will be only at such times and to such extent as regulatory traffic signs are displayed to: -

1. Prohibition of driving

Coronet Street	From its junction with Boot Street to its junction with Old Street

2. Prohibition of Left or Right Turn manoeuvres

Coronet Street	at its junction with Old Street

3. Prohibition of waiting loading and unloading at any time

Coronet Street	From its junction with Boot Street to its junction with Old Street

4. The restriction will not apply to vehicles being used in connection with the said works or used for fire brigade, ambulance, or purposes in an emergency and anything done with the permission or at the discretion of a Police Constable in uniform.

5. The restrictions referred to in paragraphs (1) to (3) above will not apply so as to prevent vehicles gaining ingress to, or egress from the premises on or adjacent to the closed length of road in so far as such ingress or egress is reasonably practicable without undue interference with the execution of the said works.

6. The restrictions referred to in paragraph (3) above may require vehicles to be removed at the discretion of either the engineer on site or a Police Constable in uniform

7. The Order will operate on and between the following dates and times or until the work has been completed whichever is sooner

DATE	TIME	DATE	TIME
15 Aug 2009	0800 hrs	16 Aug 2009	1600 hrs
22 Aug 2009	0800 hrs	23 Aug 2009	1600 hrs
29 Aug 2009	0800 hrs	30 Aug 2009	1600 hrs

8. Further information about this notice may be obtained by contacting the helpline on 0208 356 2897

DATED THIS 3RD DAY OF AUGUST 2009
TOM MCCOURT, ASSISTANT DIRECTOR (PUBLIC REALM)
(THE OFFICER APPOINTED FOR THIS PURPOSE)

TTRO / E53A BRADBURY STREET TEMPORARY PROHIBITION OF TRAFFIC ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION (SPECIAL EVENTS) ACT 1984 – SECTION 16(A)

The Council of the London Borough of Hackney in exercise of powers conferred by Section 16 (A) of the Road Traffic Regulation (Special Events) Act 1994 herby propose to make the following order

This order may be cited as

1. London Borough of Hackney (Temporary Prohibition and Restriction of Traffic) (Special Event) (HACKNEY "HACKNEY MILLION MOTHERS MARCH" EVENT 2009).

2. The order is required to

Enable the Promotion of the event in a safe manner

3. The Order will operate on and between the following dates and times or until the event has finished whichever is sooner

DATE	TIME	DATE	TIME
3a Event – schedule 1			
23 Aug 2009	1230 hrs	23 Aug 2009	1430 hrs
3b March – schedules 2 and 3			
23 Aug 2009	1400 hrs	23 Aug 2009	1630 hrs

4. During the period stated in Article 3 of this order no person shall cause or permit any

a Vehicle to enter or proceed in any streets or parts of the street that are defined in schedule 1 to this order

b Vehicle to Wait or load in any of the streets or parts of street that are defined in schedule 1 to this order

5. During the period stated in Article 3b of this order no person shall cause or permit any

a Vehicle to enter or proceed in any streets or parts of the street that are defined in schedule 2 to this order.

b Vehicle to turn either left or right in streets defined in schedule 3 to this Order

In both 5a and 5b the restriction outlined in schedules 2 and 3 shall be administered by the Police under a rolling closure operation.

6. Nothing in Article 4 or Article 5 of this Order shall apply to

a Vehicles being used in connection with the said HACKNEY "HACKNEY MILLION MOTHERS MARCH" EVENT 2009 or used for used in connection with the said works, or any vehicle being used for ambulance, fire brigade or police purposes in an emergency or for the purpose of a statutory undertaker in an emergency

b Anything done with the permission or at the discretion of a Police Officer in uniform

7. The prohibition or restriction specified in article 4 above shall apply only during such times and to such an extent as indicated by traffic signs of the size, type and colour shown in the traffic Signs Regulations and General Directions 2002

DATED THIS 3RD DAY OF AUGUST 2009
TOM MCCOURT, ASSISTANT DIRECTOR (PUBLIC REALM)
(THE OFFICER APPOINTED FOR THIS PURPOSE)

Schedule 1 (see Article 4) – Prohibition of Driving

Street	Length of Street
Bradbury Street	From its junction with Boleyn Road along its entire length to its junction with Kingsland High Street

Schedule 2 (see Article 5) – Prohibition of Driving

Kingsland High Street	From its junction with Bradbury Street in a southerly direction to its junction with Dalston Lane
Dalston Lane	From its junction with Kingsland High Street in an easterly direction to its junction with Graham Road
Graham Road	From its junction with Dalston Lane in an easterly direction to its junction with the Narrow Way
Narrow Way (Mare Street)	From its junction with Graham Road in a northerly direction to a point 30 metres north of its junction with Bohemia Place (recently refurbished toilets)

Schedule 3 (see Article 5) – Prohibition of either left or right turns

Dalston Lane	Along the entire length at each junction as requested by the police
Graham Road	Along the entire length at each junction as requested by the police
Bohemia Place	At its junction with the Narrow Ways (Mare Street)

TTRO / P309A WINDUS AREA NO 3 TEMPORARY PROHIBITION OF DRIVING ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984 – SECTION 14(1) AS AMENDED BY THE ROAD TRAFFIC (TEMPORARY RESTRICTIONS) ACT 1991 AND THE TRAFFIC MANAGEMENT ACT 2004

The Council of London Borough of Hackney HEREBY GIVES NOTICE that due to planned RESURFACING WORK at JUNCTIONS and SPEED HUMPS within the WINDUS AREA N16 they intend to make an order. The general effect of which will be only at such times and to such extent as regulatory traffic signs are displayed to: -

1. Prohibition of driving

Kyverdale Road	From a point in line with the rear of properties 79 Lampard Grove and 68 Lynmouth Road to the boundary of property no's 61 and 63 Kyverdale Road
Filey Avenue	From the junction of Kyverdale Road to the boundary of property no's 2 and 4
Lampard Grove	From the boundary of no's 51 and 53 to the boundary of no 85
Windus road	From the junction of Kyverdale Road west for a distance of 20m

2. Prohibition of waiting loading and unloading Monday – Tuesday 8am to 6pm

Windus Area	Roads as defined in paragraph 1 and conditions as in paragraph 6

3. Revocation of one way

Alkham Road	From its junction with Lampard Grove to its junction with Cazenova Road
Kyverdale Road	From its junction with Lynmouth Road to its junction with Cazenova Road
Lampard Grove	From its junction with Kyverdale Road to its junction with Oldhill Street
Filey Avenue	From its junction with Kyverdale Road to its junction with Osbaldeston Road
Windus Road	From its junction with Alkham Road to its junction with Margaret Road

4. The restriction will not apply to vehicles being used in connection with the said works or used for fire brigade, ambulance, or purposes in an emergency and anything done with the permission or at the discretion of a Police Constable in uniform.

5. The restrictions referred to in paragraphs (1) to (3) above will not apply so as to prevent vehicles gaining ingress to, or egress from the premises on or adjacent to the closed length of road in so far as such ingress or egress is reasonably practicable without undue interference with the execution of the said works.

6. The restrictions referred to in paragraph (2) above may require vehicles to be removed at the discretion of either the engineer on site or a Police Constable in uniform. The restrictions shall operate at each traffic calming location (hump or raised junction) along the lengths as described in Paragraph (1)

7. The Order will operate daily on and between the following dates and times or until the work has been completed whichever is sooner

DATE	TIME	DATE	TIME
27 Aug 2009	0800 hrs	28 Aug 2009	1800 hrs

8. Further information about this notice may be obtained by contacting the helpline on: 0208 356 2897

DATED THIS 3RD DAY OF AUGUST 2009
TOM MCCOURT, ASSISTANT DIRECTOR (PUBLIC REALM)
(THE OFFICER APPOINTED FOR THIS PURPOSE)

TTRO / P308A WINDUS AREA NO 2 TEMPORARY PROHIBITION OF DRIVING ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984 – SECTION 14(1) AS AMENDED BY THE ROAD TRAFFIC (TEMPORARY RESTRICTIONS) ACT 1991 AND THE TRAFFIC MANAGEMENT ACT 2004

The Council of London Borough of Hackney HEREBY GIVES NOTICE that due to planned RESURFACING WORK at JUNCTIONS and SPEED HUMPS within the WINDUS AREA N16 they intend to make an order. The general effect of which will be only at such times and to such extent as regulatory traffic signs are displayed to: -

1. Prohibition of driving

Oldhill Street	From the property boundary of No's 25 and 27 (north of Lynmouth Rd) in a general southerly direction to its junction with Filey Avenue
Lynmouth Road	From the property boundary of No's 73 and 75 Lynmouth Road to the rear of house boundary no 38 Oldhill Street
Lampard Grove	From its junction with Oldhill Street westwards for a distance of 15m
Filey Avenue	Between property boundary no's 1 and 3 north east to property boundary no's 9 and 11 Filey Avenue

2. Prohibition of waiting loading and unloading Monday – Tuesday 8am to 6pm

Windus Area	Roads as defined in paragraph 1 and conditions as in paragraph 6

3. Revocation of one way

Lynmouth Road	From its junction with Kyverdale Road to its junction with Osbaldeston Road
Kyverdale Road	From its junction with Lynmouth Road to its junction with Firsby Road
Lampard Grove	From its junction with Kyverdale Road to its junction with Oldhill Street
Filey Avenue	From its junction with Kyverdale Road to its junction with Osbaldeston Road

4. The restriction will not apply to vehicles being used in connection with the said works or used for fire brigade, ambulance, or purposes in an emergency and anything done with the permission or at the discretion of a Police Constable in uniform.

5. The restrictions referred to in paragraphs (1) to (3) above will not apply so as to prevent vehicles gaining ingress to, or egress from the premises on or adjacent to the closed length of road in so far as such ingress or egress is reasonably practicable without undue interference with the execution of the said works.

6. The restrictions referred to in paragraph (2) above may require vehicles to be removed at the discretion of either the engineer on site or a Police Constable in uniform. The restrictions shall operate at each traffic calming location (hump or raised junction) along the lengths as described in Paragraph (1)

7. The Order will operate daily on and between the following dates and times or until the work has been completed whichever is sooner

DATE	TIME	DATE	TIME
25 Aug 2009	0800 hrs	26 Aug 2009	1800 hrs

8. Further information about this notice may be obtained by contacting the helpline on: 0208 356 2897

DATED THIS 3RD DAY OF AUGUST 2009
TOM MCCOURT, ASSISTANT DIRECTOR (PUBLIC REALM)
(THE OFFICER APPOINTED FOR THIS PURPOSE)

TTRO / P307A WINDUS AREA NO 1 TEMPORARY PROHIBITION OF DRIVING ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984 – SECTION 14(1) AS AMENDED BY THE ROAD TRAFFIC (TEMPORARY RESTRICTIONS) ACT 1991 AND THE TRAFFIC MANAGEMENT ACT 2004

The Council of London Borough of Hackney HEREBY GIVES NOTICE that due to planned RESURFACING WORK at JUNCTIONS and SPEED HUMPS within the WINDUS AREA N16 they intend to make an order. The general effect of which will

be only at such times and to such extent as regulatory traffic signs are displayed to: -

1. Prohibition of driving

Osbaldeston Road	From the property boundary of No's 117 and 117a (north of Lynmouth Rd) in a general southerly direction to property boundary No's 77 and 79 (south of Filey Avenue)
Filey Avenue	From the rear house boundary of property no 81 Osbaldeston Road to the rear of house property no 2 Forburg Road
Lynmouth Road	From the centre line of Osbaldeston Road to a point 12m north west
Forburg Road	From its junction with Filey Avenue north to the boundary of property no's 3 and 5 Forburg Road

2. Prohibition of waiting loading and unloading Monday – Tuesday 8am to 6pm

Windus Area	Roads as defined in paragraph 1 and conditions as in paragraph 6

3. Revocation of one way

Lynmouth Road	From its junction with Oldhill Street to its junction with Osbaldeston Road
Filey Avenue	From its junction with Kyverdale Road to its junction with Osbaldeston Road
Forburg Road	From its junction with Filey Avenue to its junction with Upper Clapton Road
Osbaldeston Road	From its junction with Filey Avenue to its junction with Cazenova Road

4. Prohibition of Left Turn manoeuvres

Old Hill Street	At its junction with Filey Avenue

5. The restriction will not apply to vehicles being used in connection with the said works or used for fire brigade, ambulance, or purposes in an emergency and anything done with the permission or at the discretion of a Police Constable in uniform.

6. The restrictions referred to in paragraphs (1) to (3) above will not apply so as to prevent vehicles gaining ingress to, or egress from the premises on or adjacent to the closed length of road in so far as such ingress or egress is reasonably practicable without undue interference with the execution of the said works.

7. The restrictions referred to in paragraph (2) above may require vehicles to be removed at the discretion of either the engineer on site or a Police Constable in uniform. The restrictions shall operate at each traffic calming location (hump or raised junction) along the lengths as described in Paragraph (1)

8. The Order will operate daily on and between the following dates and times or until the work has been completed whichever is sooner

DATE	TIME	DATE	TIME
24 Aug 2009	0800 hrs	25 Aug 2009	1800 hrs

9. Further information about this notice may be obtained by contacting the helpline on: 0208 356 2897

DATED THIS 3RD DAY OF AUGUST 2009
TOM MCCOURT, ASSISTANT DIRECTOR (PUBLIC REALM)
(THE OFFICER APPOINTED FOR THIS PURPOSE)

TTRO / P310A BERGER ROAD E9 TEMPORARY PROHIBITION OF WAITING LOADING UNLOADING ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984 – SECTION 14(1) AS AMENDED BY THE ROAD TRAFFIC (TEMPORARY RESTRICTIONS) ACT 1991 AND THE TRAFFIC MANAGEMENT ACT 2004

The Council of London Borough of Hackney HEREBY GIVES NOTICE that due to planned CONSTRUCTION WORKS within BERGER ROAD E9 they intend to make an order. The general effect of which will be only at such times and to such extent as regulatory traffic signs are displayed to: -

1. Prohibition of waiting loading and unloading at any time

Berger Road north west side	Between points 28 metres and 56 metres north east of its junction with Digby Road
Berger Road south east side	Between points 45 metres and 53 metres north east of its junction with Digby Road
Berger Road south east side	Between points 58 metres and 68 metres north east of its junction with Digby Road

2. The restriction will not apply to vehicles being used in connection with the said works or used for fire brigade, ambulance, or purposes in an emergency and anything done with the permission or at the discretion of a Police Constable in uniform.

3. The restrictions referred to in paragraphs (1) above will not apply so as to prevent vehicles gaining ingress to, or egress from the premises on or adjacent to the closed length of road in so far as such ingress or egress is reasonably practicable without undue interference with the execution of the said works.

4. The restrictions referred to in paragraph (1) above may require vehicles to be removed at the discretion of either the engineer on site or a Police Constable in uniform

5. The Order will operate on and between the following dates and times or until the work has been completed whichever is sooner

DATE	TIME	DATE	TIME
1 Sept 2009	1200 hrs	5 Oct 2009	2359 hrs

6. Further information about this notice may be obtained by contacting the helpline on 0208 356 2897

DATED THIS 3RD DAY OF AUGUST 2009
TOM MCCOURT, ASSISTANT DIRECTOR (PUBLIC REALM)
(THE OFFICER APPOINTED FOR THIS PURPOSE)

TTRO / P306A DURLSTON ROAD E5 TEMPORARY PROHIBITION OF DRIVING AND PROHIBITION OF PEDESTRIANS ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984 – SECTION 14(1) AS AMENDED BY THE ROAD TRAFFIC (TEMPORARY RESTRICTIONS) ACT 1991 AND THE TRAFFIC MANAGEMENT ACT 2004

The Council of London Borough of Hackney HEREBY GIVES NOTICE that due to planned SEWER CONNECTION WORKS within DURLSTON ROAD E5 they intend to make an order. The general effect of which will be only at such times and to such extent as regulatory traffic signs are displayed to: -

1. Prohibition of driving

Durlston Road	From the building line between properties 68/66 to the building line between properties 66/64

2. Prohibition of pedestrians

Durlston Road south side	From the building line between properties 68/66 to the building line between properties 66/64

3. The diversion route for the footpath will be along the opposite side

4. The restriction will not apply to vehicles being used in connection with the said works or used for fire brigade, ambulance, or purposes in an emergency and anything done with the permission or at the discretion of a Police Constable in uniform.

5. The restrictions referred to in paragraphs (1) and (2) above will not apply so as to prevent vehicles gaining ingress to, or egress from the premises on or adjacent to the closed length of road in so far as such ingress or egress is reasonably practicable without undue interference with the execution of the said works.

6. The Order will operate on and between the following dates and times or until the work has been completed whichever is sooner

DATE	TIME	DATE	TIME
24 Aug 2009	0800 hrs	5 Sept 2009	1700 hrs

7. Further information about this notice may be obtained by contacting the helpline on 0208 356 2897

DATED THIS 3RD DAY OF AUGUST 2009
TOM MCCOURT, ASSISTANT DIRECTOR (PUBLIC REALM)
(THE OFFICER APPOINTED FOR THIS PURPOSE)

TTRO / P315A STOKE NEWINGTON CHURCH STREET N16 TEMPORARY PROHIBITION OF DRIVING ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984 – SECTION 14(1) AS AMENDED BY THE ROAD TRAFFIC (TEMPORARY RESTRICTIONS) ACT 1991 AND THE TRAFFIC MANAGEMENT ACT 2004

The Council of London Borough of Hackney HEREBY GIVES NOTICE that due to planned FOOTWAY and CARRIAGEWAY REFURBISHMENT WORKS within STOKE NEWINGTON CHURCH STREET N16 they intend to make an order. The general effect of which will be only at such times and to such extent as regulatory traffic signs are displayed to: -

1. Temporary One Way

Stoke Newington Church Street north side	From its junction with Wilmer Place in a westerly direction to its junction with Albion Road

2. Prohibition of Driving

At every junction along Stoke Newington Church Street between Albion Road and Wilmer Place for a distance of 10 meters north or south of that junction depending upon street orientation

3. Prohibition of pedestrians

Stoke Newington Church Street both sides	From its junction with Stoke Newington High Street in a westerly direction to its junction with Albion Road

4. Prohibition of Left or Right Turn manoeuvres

At every junction along Stoke Newington Church Street between Albion Road and Wilmer Place depending upon street orientation

5. Prohibition of waiting loading and unloading at any time

Stoke Newington Church Street	From its junction with Stoke Newington High Street in a westerly direction to its junction with Albion Road

6. The diversion route for the footpath will be alternate sides and under a rolling closure

7. The restriction will not apply to vehicles being used in connection with the said works or used for fire brigade, ambulance, or purposes in an emergency and anything done with the permission or at the discretion of a Police Constable in uniform.

8. The restrictions referred to in paragraphs (1) to (5) above will not apply so as to prevent vehicles gaining ingress to, or egress from the premises on or adjacent to the closed length of road in so far as such ingress or egress is reasonably practicable without undue interference with the execution of the said works.

9. The restrictions referred to in paragraph (5) above may require vehicles to be removed at the discretion of either the engineer on site or a Police Constable in uniform

10. The Order will operate on and between the following dates and times or until the work has been completed whichever is sooner

DATE	TIME	DATE	TIME
24 Aug 2009	0800 hrs	18 Dec 2009	1700 hrs

11. Further information about this notice may be obtained by contacting the helpline on: 0208 356 2897

DATED THIS 3RD DAY OF AUGUST 2009
TOM MCCOURT, ASSISTANT DIRECTOR (PUBLIC REALM)
(THE OFFICER APPOINTED FOR THIS PURPOSE)

PLANNING

EC1A

BEST KEBAB 233 OLD STREET EC1V9HE Variation of condition 1 of planning permission 2005/2568 to extend hours of opening of hot food take away with opening hours from 11:00 to 04:00 Sunday to Wednesday and from 11:00 to 05 hours from Thursday to Saturday. 2009/1582 Major Smallscale

EC2A

44 / 48 PAUL STREET EC2A 4LB Installation of three pole mounted antennas, two radio equipment cabinets and ancillary works on the roof of the premises. 2009/1413 Affects the setting of a Conservation Area

15-17 CHRISTOPHER STREET, LONDON EC2AA 2BS Installation of one air conditioning unit under staircase of front lightwell and six air conditioning units at rear ground floor level of office premises (Amended Description 14 Day Notification) 2009/1182

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E2

25 HACKNEY ROAD E2 7NX Advertisement consent for 3 fascia signs. 2009/1526 Affects the setting of a Conservation Area

YE OLDE AXE 69 HACKNEY ROAD E2 8ET Internal alterations to grade II listed building. Works involve the removal of partitions and banquette seating and restoration of moulded plaster work ceiling. 2009/1576 Listed Building Consent

E5

233 LOWER CLAPTON ROAD E5 8EG Variation of condition 5 (hours) and 6 (use) of planning permission North/655/98/FP dated 04-07-1999 to allow the use of the premises as a restaurant, with opening hours of 11:00 till 23:00 Mon - Sat and 11:00 till 22:30 Sundays and Bank Holidays 2009/1406 Affects the Setting of a Conservation Area

71 CHATSWORTH ROAD E5 0LH Variation of condition 2 (hours of opening) of planning permission ref. TP/91312/GL for hours of operation from 08:00 to 00:00 Mon – Thur -08:00 to 01:00 Fri – Sat and 08: TO 23:30 Sunday for the existing takeaway Premises. 2009/1356 Major Development

E8

BRUNO COURT 10 FASSETT SQUARE E8 1DQ Installation of extract flues to north and west elevations at ground floor level together with window alterations and repairs; internal alterations including new bathrooms, extended hallway and internal glazing. 2009/1362 Affects the setting of Listed Building

301 MARE STREET E8 1EJ Change of Use from supermarket (A1) to cafe/snack bar/restaurant (A3) with opening hours 7am-7pm (Mon-Fri), 9am-2pm (Sat) together with alterations to the shopfront. 2009/0991 Affects the Setting of a Conservation Area

BRUNO COURT 10 FASSETT SQUARE E8 1DQ Installation of extract flues to north and west elevations at ground floor level together with window alterations and repairs 2009/1352 Affects the Setting of a Conservation Area

FLAT D 102 GRAHAM ROAD E8 1BX Construction of Gable End and rear Dormer roof extension 2009/1422 Affects the setting of a Conservation Area

76 SHACKLEWELL LANE E8 2EY Renovation of the front gardens involving new paving raised planting beds, trellis, bicycle racks, buggy storage shed, renovation of existing railings and installation of new archway. 2009/1505 Affects the Setting of a Conservation Area

E9

70 LAURISTON ROAD E9 7EY Demolition of single storey lean-to at rear of house. Construction of new single storey rear conservatory extension with adjoining terrace. Demolition of existing timber fence and gate and the erection of rendered wall and door. 2009/1508 Affects the setting of a Conservation Area

N1

3 PLALAZZO ONE APARTMENTS 3A ARDLEIGH ROAD N1 4HS Erection of an additional floor at roof level to provide a self-contained 2-bedroom flat. 2009/0653 Affects the setting of a Conservation Area

54 IVY STREET N1 5JE Conservation Area Consent for the majority demolition of existing building, reconstruction and part retention of northern façade and new 2 storey western extension. 2009/1556 Affects the Setting of a Conservation Area

40 DOWNHAM ROAD N1 Change of Use From take away shop (A5) to retail (A1) including a front and side ground floor extension to provide 67 sqm. of floor area. 2009/1562 Affects the setting of a Conservation Area

108 TOTTENHAM ROAD N1 4DP Erection of single storey conservatory extension to rear of dwelling house. 2009/1569 Affects the setting of a Conservation Area

N16

64B LORDSHIP PARK N16 5UA Use of flat roof as a terrace together with the installation of railings 2009/1328 Affects the setting of a Conservation Area

SKINNER'S SCHOOL FOR GIRLS 117 STAMFORD HILL N16 5RS Conversion of school building (including new extension) and erection of two part-three-, part-four-storey buildings to the rear, to provide a total of sixty-two residential units (six studio units, eight one-bedroom units, twenty-one two-bedroom units, one three-bedroom unit and twenty-six four-bedroom units), together with first-floor outdoor amenity space and thirty car parking spaces underneath. 2009/1404 Affects Setting of a Listed Building

37 - 47 STOKE NEWINGTON ROAD N16 8BJ Erection of a part 5, part 8 storey building plus basement, to provide 1095 sqm space, 38 residential units (14 x 16, 11 x 26, 10 x 36 and 3 x 4 bed) 4 disabled car parking spaces, 56 cycle spaces plus associated landscaping 2009/1474 Major Development

18 QUEEN ELIZABETHS WALK N16 0HX Erection of a single storey ground floor rear extension. 2009/1591 Affects the Setting of a Conservation Area

152 ALBION ROAD N16 9PA Variation of condition 2 (hours of operation) of planning permission ref: South/456/95/FP to allow opening hours of 10:00 - 01:00 Mon to Thurs, 10:00 - 02:00 Fri to Sat and 12:00 - 00:00 Sun 2009/1597 Major Development

London Borough of Hackney Notice under the Town and Country Planning Acts and Related Orders
The Applications can be inspected between 9am and 5pm at Development Management, 263 Mare Street, London, E8 3HT.

They can also be viewed on the following website:www.hackney.gov.uk/planning.
Representations should be made in writing within 21 days to the Development Control Manager, Development Management, 263 Mare Street, London, E8 3HT. All representations will be acknowledged in writing.
Graham Loveland, Interim Assistant Director Planning Regeneration and Planning

APPEALS

An appeal has been made against the London Borough of Hackney by **RABBI ASHER JUNGREIS** for the refusal of an application for a Lawful Use Certificate at **3 NORTHDENE GARDENS, LONDON, N15 6LX** for the use of the building as a synagogue.

The inquiry will be held at the Council Chambers, Hackney Town Hall, Mare Street, London E8 1EA on Tuesday 15th September, 2009 at 10am.

Members of the public may attend the inquiry and, at the Inspector's discretion express their views. If you or anyone you know has a disability and is concerned about facilities at the Inquiry venue, you should contact the council to confirm that suitable provisions are in place.

GRAHAM LOVELAND, ACTING ASSISTANT DIRECTOR NEIGHBOURHOODS AND REGENERATION
DATE: 03/08/2009



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